## 106TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## S. RES. 40

Commending James L. Blum for his service to Congress and to the Nation.

## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

February 12, 1999

Mr. Domenici (for himself and Mr. Lautenberg) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

## RESOLUTION

Commending James L. Blum for his service to Congress and to the Nation.

- Whereas James L. Blum has served as the Deputy Director of the Congressional Budget Office since December of 1991;
- Whereas he has served in that office since its creation in 1975: from 1975 to 1991 as the Assistant Director for Budget Analysis and in the post of Acting Director from December 1987 to March of 1989;
- Whereas prior to his tenure at the Congressional Budget Office, he has held numerous positions within the Executive Branch of the Federal Government including the Office of Management and Budget and the Department of Labor;

- Whereas he is internationally recognized for his expertise in budget and finance;
- Whereas he has instilled professionalism and integrity in generations of staff at the Congressional Budget Office by his personal conduct and leadership and has encouraged high standards of scholarship and clarity of presentation from them;
- Whereas he was the 1990 recipient of the Roger W. Jones Award for Executive Leadership;
- Whereas he has performed his various duties within the Congressional Budget Office with intelligence while displaying calm leadership;
- Whereas he possesses irreplaceable institutional knowledge which has been indispensable to the effective functioning of the Congressional Budget Office extending over a period of almost 25 years; and
- Whereas he has earned the respect and esteem of the United States Senate: Now, therefore, be it
  - 1 Resolved, That the Senate of the United States com-
  - 2 mends James L. Blum for his many years of dedicated,
  - 3 faithful, and outstanding service to his country and to the
  - 4 Senate.

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