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H. CON. RES. 276

Expressing the sense of Congress that donations solicited by charitable organizations for the victims of the terrorist attacks against the United States that occurred on September 11, 2001, should be used exclusively for the benefit of such victims.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 16, 2001

Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York (for herself, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KING, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, and Mr. MATHESON) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that donations solicited by charitable organizations for the victims of the terrorist attacks against the United States that occurred on September 11, 2001, should be used exclusively for the benefit of such victims.

Whereas approximately \$1,100,000,000 has been donated to more than 200 charitable organizations since the terrorist attacks against the United States that occurred on September 11, 2001;

Whereas only 10 percent of the money donated since September 11, 2001, has reached the victims of the terrorist attacks;

Whereas the September 11th Fund, created by the United Way and the New York Community Trust, collected \$275,000,000 for the victims of the terrorist attacks;

Whereas the Liberty Fund, created by the American Red Cross, collected \$505,000,000 for the victims of the terrorist attacks;

Whereas the Salvation Army collected more than \$60,000,000 for the victims of the terrorist attacks;

Whereas the Robin Hood Relief Fund, created by the Robin Hood Foundation, collected \$47,500,000 for the victims of the terrorist attacks; and

Whereas Helping.org, created by AOL-Time Warner, collected \$10,300,000 for the victims of the terrorist attacks: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
 2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of Congress that dona-
 3 tions solicited by charitable organizations for the victims
 4 of the terrorist attacks against the United States that oc-
 5 curred on September 11, 2001, should be used exclusively
 6 for the benefit of such victims.

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