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Designating June 2004 as “National Safety Month”.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 5, 2004

Mr. FITZGERALD (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. COCHRAN, and Mrs. DOLE) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

MAY 13, 2004

Reported by Mr. HATCH, without amendment

MAY 17, 2004

Considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Designating June 2004 as “National Safety Month”.

Whereas the mission of the National Safety Council is to educate and influence society to adopt safety, health, and environmental policies, practices, and procedures that prevent and mitigate human suffering and economic losses arising from preventable causes;

Whereas the National Safety Council works to protect lives and promote health with innovative programs;

Whereas the National Safety Council, founded in 1913, is celebrating its 91st anniversary in 2004 as the premier

source of safety and health information, education, and training in the United States;

Whereas the National Safety Council was congressionally chartered in 1953, and is celebrating its 51st anniversary in 2004 as a congressionally chartered organization;

Whereas even with advancements in safety that create a safer environment for the people of the United States, such as new legislation and improvements in technology, the unintentional-injury death toll is still unacceptable;

Whereas citizens deserve a solution to nationwide safety and health threats;

Whereas such a solution requires the cooperation of all levels of government, as well as the general public;

Whereas the summer season, traditionally a time of increased unintentional-injury fatalities, is an appropriate time to focus attention on both the problem and the solution; and

Whereas the theme of “National Safety Month” for 2004 is “Crash-Free June”, a national initiative intended to reduce motor vehicle crashes, which are the leading cause of injury death in the United States: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2 (1) designates June 2004 as “National Safety
3 Month”; and

4 (2) requests that the President issue a procla-
5 mation calling upon the people of the United States
6 to observe such month with appropriate ceremonies
7 and activities that promote acknowledgment, grati-

- 1 tude, and respect for the advances of the National
- 2 Safety Council and its mission.

