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Expressing support for designation of June 30, 2010, as "National ESIGN Day 2010".

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 30, 2010

Mrs. MURRAY (for herself and Ms. CANTWELL) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Expressing support for designation of June 30, 2010, as "National ESIGN Day 2010".

- Whereas the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act (ESIGN) (15 U.S.C. 7001 et seq.) was enacted on June 30, 2000, to ensure that a signature, contract, or other record relating to a transaction may not be denied legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because the signature, contract, or other record is in electronic form;
- Whereas in that Act, Congress directed the Secretary of Commerce to take all actions necessary to eliminate or reduce, to the maximum extent possible, the impediments to commerce in electronic signatures, for the purpose of facilitating the development of interstate and foreign commerce; and

- Whereas June 30, 2010, marks the 10th anniversary of the enactment of ESIGN and would be an appropriate date to designate as "National ESIGN Day 2010": Now, therefore, be it
 - 1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—
 - 2 (1) supports the designation of a "National
 3 ESIGN Day 2010";

4 (2) recognizes the contribution made by Con5 gress in the Electronic Signatures in Global and Na6 tional Commerce Act (ESIGN) (15 U.S.C. 7001 et
7 seq.) to the adoption of modern solutions that keep
8 the United States on the leading technological edge;
9 and

10 (3) reaffirms the commitment of the Senate to
11 facilitating interstate and foreign commerce in an in12 creasingly digital world.

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