Resolved, That the Senate—

- (1) designates the week beginning on October 13, 2013, as "National Wildlife Refuge Week";
- (2) encourages the observance of National Wildlife Refuge Week with appropriate events and activities;
- (3) acknowledges the importance of national wildlife refuges for their recreational opportunities and contribution to local economies across the United States;
- (4) pronounces that national wildlife refuges play a vital role in securing the hunting and fishing heritage of the United States for future generations:
- (5) identifies the significance of national wildlife refuges in advancing the traditions of wildlife observation, photography, environmental education, and interpretation:
- (6) recognizes the importance of national wildlife refuges to wildlife conservation and the protection of imperiled species and ecosystems, as well as compatible uses;
- (7) acknowledges the role of national wildlife refuges in conserving waterfowl and waterfowl habitat pursuant to the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (40 Stat. 755, chapter 128);
- (8) reaffirms the support of the Senate for wildlife conservation and the National Wildlife Refuge System; and
- (9) expresses the intent of the Senate—
- (A) to continue working to conserve wildlife; and
- (B) to manage the National Wildlife Refuge System for current and future generations.

SENATE RESOLUTION 297—CON-GRATULATING THE MINNESOTA LYNX WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM ONWINNING THE2013 WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKET-BALL ASSOCIATION CHAMPION-SHIP

Mr. FRANKEN (for himself and Ms. KLOBUCHAR) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 297

Whereas on October 10, 2013, the Minnesota Lynx won the 2013 Women's National Basketball Association (WNBA) Championship;

Whereas this is the second WNBA Championship for the Minnesota Lynx in 3 years;

Whereas the Minnesota Lynx won every game in the 2013 WNBA playoffs, beating the Seattle Storm in the Western Conference semifinals, the Phoenix Mercury in the Conference finals, and decisively beating the Atlanta Dream in the Championship round;

Whereas, on average, more than 13,000 fans attended each home game during the Championship round at the Target Center in Minneapolis to cheer on the Minnesota Lynx:

Whereas the Minnesota Lynx feature 3 gold medal-winning Olympians, Maya Moore, Seimone Augustus, and Lindsay Whalen, and a highly talented team of professionals, including Rebekkah Brunson, Janel McCarville, and Monica Wright; and

Whereas the Minnesota Lynx are one of only four WNBA teams to win multiple titles, with both championships coming under the coaching guidance of Cheryl Reeve: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate-

- (1) recognizes the achievements of the players, coaches, fans, and staff whose hard work and dedication helped the Minnesota Lynx win the 2013 Women's National Basketball Association Championship; and
- (2) recognizes the Twin Cities region and the State of Minnesota, both of which enthusiastically support the team and women's professional basketball.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 2032. Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. Burn) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2033. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 3204, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to human drug compounding and drug supply chain security, and for other purposes.

SA 2034. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 2033 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill H.R. 3204, supra.

SA 2035. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 3204, supra.

SA 2036. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 2035 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill H.R. 3204, supra.

SA 2037. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 2036 proposed by Mr. REID to the amendment SA 2035 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill H.R. 3204, supra.

SA 2038. Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself and Mr. TESTER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2039. Mr. KAINE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2040. Mr. BAUCUS (for himself, Mr. ENZI, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. TESTER, Mr. HOEVEN, Ms. HEITKAMP, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. JOHANNS, and Mr. HATCH) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2041. Mr. TESTER (for himself, Mr. Heller, and Mr. Baucus) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2042. Ms. AYOTTE (for herself, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. INHOFE, and Mrs. FISCHER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2043. Ms. AYOTTE (for herself, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. INHOFE, and Mrs. FISCHER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2044. Ms. AYOTTE (for herself, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. INHOFE, and Mrs. FISCHER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2045. Ms. AYOTTE (for herself, Mr. Chambliss, Mr. Inhofe, and Mrs. Fischer) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2046. Ms. AYOTTE (for herself, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. INHOFE, and Mrs. FISCHER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2047. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2048. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the

bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2049. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table

SA 2050. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2051. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2052. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

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SA 2055. Mr. COATS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2056. Mr. BLUNT submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2057. Ms. COLLINS (for herself, Mr. KING, Mr. MARKEY, and Ms. STABENOW) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table

SA 2058. Ms. COLLINS (for herself and Mr. BLUMENTHAL) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2059. Mr. WICKER (for himself, Mr. KAINE, and Mr. COCHRAN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2060. Mr. WICKER (for himself, Mr. KAINE, and Mr. COCHRAN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2061. Mr. KAINE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2062. Mr. GRAHAM (for himself and Mr. HATCH) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2063. Ms. AYOTTE (for herself and Mr. BLUNT) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2064. Ms. COLLINS (for herself and Mr. King) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2065. Mr. DONNELLY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2066. Mr. DONNELLY (for himself and Mrs. FISCHER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2067. Mr. DONNELLY (for himself, Mr. Leahy, Mr. Cruz, Mr. Blunt, Mr. Begich, Mr. Pryor, Mr. Schatz, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Johanns, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Cornyn, Mr. Boozman, Ms. Heitkamp, and Mr. Chambliss) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2068. Mr. PORTMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him

to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2069. Mr. PORTMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2070. Mr. PORTMAN (for himself and Mr. Brown) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2071. Mr. PORTMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2072. Mr. PORTMAN (for himself and Ms. HIRONO) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2073. Mr. PORTMAN (for himself and Mr. TESTER) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2074. Mr. SHELBY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 2032. Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. Burr) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle H of title X, add the following:

SEC. 1082. SENSE OF SENATE ON VETERAN'S PREFERENCE IN PRIVATE EMPLOY-MENT.

It is the sense of the Senate that private employers should, to the extent practical, do their utmost to educate and inform their managers and supervisors, and their human resource and personnel departments, on the advantages of hiring—

(1) qualified veterans; and

(2) qualified spouses of veterans, if the veterans have a permanent total disability that is service-connected.

SA 2033. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 3204, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to human drug compounding and drug supply chain security, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end, add the following:

This Act shall become effective 1 day after enactment.

SA 2034. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 2033 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill H.R. 3204, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to human drug compounding and drug supply chain security, and for other purposes; as follows:

In the amendment, strike "1 day" and insert "2 days".

SA 2035. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 3204, to

amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to human drug compounding and drug supply chain security, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end, add the following:

This Act shall become effective 3 days after enactment.

SA 2036. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 2035 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill H.R. 3204, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to human drug compounding and drug supply chain security, and for other purposes; as follows:

In the amendment, strike "3 days" and insert "4 days".

SA 2037. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 2036 proposed by Mr. REID to the amendment SA 2035 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill H.R. 3204, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to human drug compounding and drug supply chain security, and for other purposes; as follows:

In the amendment, strike "4 days" and insert "5 days".

SA 2038. Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself and Mr. Tester) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle D of title VI, add the following:

SEC. 646. MODIFICATION OF PER-FISCAL YEAR CALCULATION OF DAYS OF CERTAIN ACTIVE DUTY OR ACTIVE SERVICE TO REDUCE ELIGIBILITY AGE FOR RETIREMENT FOR NON-REGULAR SERVICE.

Section 12731(f)(2)(A) of title 10, United States Code, is amended by inserting "or in any two consecutive fiscal years after the date of the enactment of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014," after "in any fiscal year after such date,".

SA 2039. Mr. KAINE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle F of title V, add the following:

SEC. 573. LIMITATION ON TERMINATION OR TRANSFER OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS PROGRAMS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.

(a) LIMITATION.—The Secretary of Defense may not terminate or transfer to the jurisdiction of another agency of the Federal

Government any elementary or secondary science, technology, engineering, and mathematics program of the Department of Defense in existence as of September 30, 2012, until 60 days after the date on which the Secretary submits to the congressional defense committees a transition plan with respect to such program.

(b) ELEMENTS.—The transition plan with respect to a program under subsection (a) shall include the following:

(1) For a program to be terminated, a description of the manner in which science, technology, engineering, and mathematics education requirements for the dependents covered by the program will be met by another program.

(2) For a program to be transferred to the jurisdiction of another agency—

(A) the name of such agency;

- (B) the funding anticipated to be provided the program by such agency during the fiveyear period beginning on the date of transfer: and
- (C) mechanisms to ensure that education under the program will continue to meet the science, technology, engineering, and mathematics education requirements of the Department of Defense, including requirements for the dependents covered by the program.

(3) Metrics to assess whether a program under paragraph (1) or (2) is meeting the requirements applicable to such program under such paragraph.

(c) CONSULTATION IN DEVELOPMENT.—Each transition plan under subsection (a) shall be developed by the Secretary of Defense in consultation with the Secretary of Education and the heads of other appropriate Federal agencies.

SA 2040. Mr. BAUCUS (for himself, Mr. ENZI, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. TESTER, Mr. HOEVEN, Ms. HEITKAMP, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. JOHANNS, and Mr. HATCH) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

Strike section 1045 and insert the following:

SEC. 1045. READINESS OF INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILE FORCE.

The Secretary of Defense shall preserve each intercontinental ballistic missile silo that contains a deployed missile as of the date of the enactment of this Act in, at minimum, a warm status that enables that silo—

- (1) to remain a fully functioning element of the interconnected and redundant command and control system of the missile field; and
- (2) to be made fully operational with a deployed missile.

SA 2041. Mr. TESTER (for himself, Mr. Heller, and Mr. Baucus) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1197, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows: