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TO 2003 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 2~~

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1 **Relating to:** commending the soldiers serving on active duty in the Middle East and
2 their families and friends and praying for the prompt and safe return of
3 American troops.

4 Whereas, approximately 2,300 members of the Wisconsin army and air
5 national guard, constituting about 24% of the Wisconsin membership, have been
6 called to active duty as the United States mobilizes for war against Iraq; and

7 Whereas, this represents the largest percentage of Wisconsin army and air
8 national guard members that have been activated since 1961; and

9 Whereas, approximately 1,600 members of army reserve, air force reserve,
10 marine corps reserve, and navy reserve units in Wisconsin have been called to active
11 duty; and

12 Whereas, thousands of other sons and daughters of Wisconsin in the full-time
13 military will serve in the Middle East in the war against Iraq; and

1 Whereas, enlisting in the armed forces demonstrates a strong love of country
2 and commitment to the values of our nation; and

3 Whereas, military service requires great personal sacrifice for modest pay and
4 long periods of being away from family, friends, and community; and troops in the
5 Middle East will face harsh desert conditions; and

6 Whereas, those who enlist put their trust in the wisdom of our nation's leaders,
7 and know that they could, at any time, give their lives for their country; and

8 Whereas, family and friends of soldiers say good-bye to their loved ones with
9 the fear and uncertainty of what lies ahead; now, therefore, be it

10 ***Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That*** the legislature of
11 the state of Wisconsin expresses its support of the men and women of the United
12 States armed forces, including the reserves and national guard, for their courage,
13 dedication, and service to their country; and, be it further

14 ***Resolved, That*** the Wisconsin legislature commends the family and friends of
15 those soldiers serving on active duty in the Middle East and prays for the prompt and
16 safe return of their loved ones; and, be it further

17 ***Resolved, That*** the senate chief clerk shall transmit a copy of this joint
18 resolution to the immediate family of each of the Wisconsin residents mobilized for
19 military action in the Middle East.

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