

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2015

SENATE RESOLUTION

HONORING ELLIE ELBAUM FOR HER MANY YEARS OF EXEMPLARY AND
DEDICATED VOLUNTEER SERVICE ON BEHALF OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF
JEWISH WOMEN

Introduced By: Senators Goldin, Miller, Coyne, Goodwin, and DaPonte

Date Introduced: May 06, 2015

Referred To: Placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

1 WHEREAS, The National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW) is a national organization
2 with a long and distinguished history of social justice advocacy, volunteerism, philanthropy, and
3 working tirelessly to safeguard individual rights and freedoms, and to protect and improve the
4 lives of women, children, and families; and

5 WHEREAS, Ellie Elbaum began her distinguished career of civic volunteerism while
6 living in Japan with her family as a young lady. In her many years of service to the National
7 Jewish Council of Women she has served as Co-President since 2008, and has worked tirelessly
8 on numerous issues crucial to the well-being of women and children. In particular, she has
9 worked hard to educate the public about vital issues that impact women and children, including
10 human trafficking, domestic violence, and teen bullying. Thanks to her diligence and support,
11 women and children live safer and more secure lives today; and

12 WHEREAS, Mrs. Elbaum has also served our community with distinction in other
13 community activities. She was the Director of Pediatric Patient Services at Hasbro Children's
14 Hospital and was deeply involved in the development and design of the Hasbro Children's
15 Hospital. She was very active in the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island and was the President of
16 its Women's Business Division. Mrs. Elbaum is the wife of Charles Elbaum, and she is the
17 mother of three sons; now, therefore be it

18 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
19 hereby honors Ellie Elbaum for her many years of exemplary and dedicated volunteer service on

1 behalf of the National Council of Jewish Women; and be it further

2 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to

3 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mrs. Ellie Elbaum.

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