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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2021**

### HOUSE RESOLUTION

## EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF MR. JOHN D'AMATO

Introduced By: Representatives Azzinaro, Filippi, and Kennedy

<u>Date Introduced:</u> February 09, 2021

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, Mr. John D'Amato of Westerly, the devoted husband of Ellen D'Amato, 2 passed away on February 1, 2021; and 3 WHEREAS, Mr. John D'Amato was born in Brooklyn, New York, the son of the late Dr. Louis and Anna D'Amato. He was a graduate of the State University of New York and was a 4 5 veteran who served our nation with distinction in the United States Army; and 6 WHEREAS, Mr. D'Amato was the co-owner with his brother Louis of the D'Amato 7 Brothers Builders business, where he provided honest and high-quality products for his customers 8 and worked tirelessly to provide for his family and loved ones. In his free time, he enjoyed 9 travelling, especially to Italy. He was a communicant of St. Clare Church; and 10 WHEREAS, Besides Ellen, his wife of sixty years, Mr. D'Amato leaves behind his children, Elizabeth D'Amato, John D'Amato and his wife, Laurie, Suzanne Johns, and Cheryl 11 D'Amato. He also leaves behind his grandsons, John, Nicholas, Daniel, Thomas and Craig, his 12 13 brother Louis D'Amato and his wife, Theresa, and his nephews, Louis and James; now, therefore 14 be it 15 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island hereby 16 expresses its condolences to the D'Amato family on the passing of Mr. John D'Amato; and be it

1	RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
2	transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mrs. Ellen D'Amato and Family.

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