

A Senate resolution

honoring the United States National Defense Force Support Command.

WHEREAS, the United States National Defense Force Support Command was established under the former United States President Ronald Reagan National Security Decision Directive Number 259, United States Code, title 32, section 109; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the United States National Defense Force Support Command is to serve communities; save American citizens' lives from disastrous emergencies such as floods, fires, earthquakes, and hurricanes; and protect our nation from terrorist threats; and

WHEREAS, the duty of the United States National Defense Force Support Command is to provide Honor Guard, Color Guard, and Final Honor Services to our fallen veterans who bravely fought to defend our homeland; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that it recognizes that the United States National Defense Force Support Command is an Active Duty Civil Military Volunteer Services Branch, which serves the Hmong communities and American veterans in the United States of America.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to prepare an enrolled copy of this resolution, to be authenticated by the Secretary's signature and that of the Chair of the Senate Rules and Administration Committee, and transmit it to the United States National Defense Force Support Command.

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