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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013

SENATE RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF ANGELO M. ACCIARDO

Introduced By: Senator Frank Lombardo

Date Introduced: May 08, 2013

Referred To: Recommended for Immediate Consideration

1	WHEREAS, It is with great sadness that this Senate has learned of the passing of Angelo
2	M. Acciardo, a man who was deeply devoted to his family. He was born eighty-seven years ago
3	in Johnston to the late Angelo and Rose (DiLullo) Acciardo. Angelo was the husband of Ida
4	(Russo) Acciardo for sixty-two wonderful years; and
5	WHEREAS, Our thoughts and hearts hold great empathy and sorrow for his family. We
6	grieve with his children, A. Michael "Mickey" Acciardo and his wife, Melody, Paula Acciardo
7	and Joseph Acciardo. Angelo was also the cherished grandfather to Michael Acciardo and his
8	wife, Ali, Mia Acciardo, Christopher Ballirano, and Joseph Acciardo, and was the brother to
9	Vincent, Albert "Tuffy," Raymond, and Ernest Acciardo, Ann Corrente, Virginia Salzillo, and
10	Rose Grasso; and
11	WHEREAS, He was preceded in death by his siblings, Thomas, Carl, Louis, Pasco, and
12	Ralph Acciardo, and son, Steven Acciardo; and
13	WHEREAS, Angelo worked for Forest Hills Nursery before becoming co-owner or
14	Acciardo Bros. Inc. and the owner of A. Acciardo Construction. He was a heavy equipmen
15	operator and a member of Local 57, since 1947, International Union of Operating Engineers
16	United Commercial Travelers (U.C.T), as well as a member of the Santa Maria di Prata Society in
17	Cranston. He took great pride in his specialty as a Grader Operator; and
18	WHEREAS, Even though we are diminished by this loss and mourn the passing or
19	Angelo, so must we celebrate the spirit, generosity, and courage with which he lived every day or
20	his life; and

1	WHEREAS, A devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend, Angelo M.
2	Acciardo was especially proud of his children and grandchildren. He was a gentle man whose
3	tremendous kindness will go on to serve as an inspiring legacy for others; now, therefore be it
4	RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
5	hereby expresses our deepest sympathy to the family of Angelo M. Acciardo. He will be truly
6	missed; and be it further
7	RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
8	transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mrs. Ida Acciardo.
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