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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010

SENATE RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING CHRISTOPHER PATRICK CARCHIA UPON
ACHIEVING SCOUTING'S MOST DISTINGUISHED HONOR, THE RANK OF EAGLE
SCOUT

Introduced By: Senator Leo R. Blais

Date Introduced: May 26, 2010

Referred To: Recommended for Immediate Consideration

1 WHEREAS, Earning an Eagle Scout Badge is the pinnacle of achievement within the
2 Boy Scouts of America. It is an exceptional distinction achieved by fewer than five percent of all
3 the young men who enter scouting; and

4 WHEREAS, Christopher Patrick Carchia is a remarkable young man worthy of this
5 prestigious achievement and his accomplishments are truly deserving of our recognition; and

6 WHEREAS, Learning important lifelong skills and values, Christopher earned thirty-two
7 merit badges, eleven more than the required twenty-one. Serving in leadership positions in Troop
8 101, Foster, including Patrol Leader and Instructor, Christopher also earned several special
9 awards, such as the Junior Leader Training Award, the World Conservation Award, and the Ad
10 Altare Dei Award for Roman Catholic Scouts. In addition, he is a seven-year veteran of
11 Yawgoog Scout Reservation, earning the Bronze, Gold, and Silver CY; and

12 WHEREAS, As the highlight of his scouting years and to complete the final step toward
13 obtaining the rank of Eagle Scout, Christopher Patrick Carchia planned and carried out an
14 extensive Eagle Scout service project. Christopher and his fellow scouts stained a bridge at the
15 Cross Country Track located at Ponaganset High School. Christopher devoted countless hours
16 and an amazing amount of energy carrying out his project for the benefit of the community and
17 visitors; and

18 WHEREAS, It is essential and fitting to recognize the triumphs of our youth and to
19 celebrate the accomplishments of our future leaders. Christopher Patrick Carchia exemplifies

1 everything an Eagle Scout should be and all that we hope our children will grow to be; now,
2 therefore be it

3 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
4 hereby honors Christopher Patrick Carchia for all he has done to attain the rank of Eagle within
5 the Boy Scouts of America; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island extends our deepest
7 appreciation to Christopher Patrick Carchia for his untiring service to the community and for
8 setting a high standard of commitment and dedication by which the youth of this great state may
9 follow. We proffer our very best wishes for good health and happiness in the months and years
10 ahead; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he hereby is authorized and directed to
12 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Christopher Patrick Carchia.

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