

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1837

A RESOLUTION honoring Captain Ryan H. Burke.

WHEREAS, Captain Ryan H. Burke, United States Army, is currently enjoying a well deserved leave and will be spending part of it in his home state of Kansas. Captain Ryan, who has airborne and ranger qualifications, has just returned from a third combat tour of duty. He completed one tour of duty as a commander with the 75th Rangers during the war in Afghanistan and then was transferred to Iraq at the outset of the fighting there. He has just returned from another tour of duty in Afghanistan where he served as the intelligence officer for the 173rd Airborne Regiment. He will be stationed with the 173rd in Italy upon his return to duty; and

WHEREAS, Captain Burke is a graduate of the University of Kansas and the university's ROTC program. He and his wife Sue have two children, Jaiden and Triston: Now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas:* That we honor this valiant soldier and express our appreciation for the sacrifices he has made and will continue to make in the service of his country.

Senate Resolution No. 1837 was sponsored by Senator Tim Huelskamp.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

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*President of the Senate.*

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*Secretary of the Senate.*