

Senate Resolution 658

By: Senator Crotts of the 17th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Michael O'Kelly and his parents Marvin and Katrina O'Kelly; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Michael O'Kelly is the 11 year old son of Marvin and Katrina O'Kelly; and

4 WHEREAS, this past summer, Phyllis Crotts lost a family heirloom bracelet worth several
5 thousand dollars while shopping; and

6 WHEREAS, Michael found the bracelet and, along with his mother, went to several stores
7 trying to locate the owner of the bracelet; and

8 WHEREAS, despite being offered \$150.00 for the bracelet by one individual, Michael
9 steadfastly refused to sell the bracelet and continued to search for the owner, finally getting
10 in touch with Ms. Crotts and returning the bracelet; and

11 WHEREAS, in this day in which people so often have cause to question the honesty and
12 integrity of others, it is reassuring to find a young man who is willing to do the right thing
13 and not seek after personal gain in another's misfortune; and

14 WHEREAS, this remarkable young man deserves commendation for his personal integrity
15 and his unwavering honesty; and

16 WHEREAS, his parents also merit commendation for instilling in their son these virtues; and

17 WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that this body recognize this display of outstanding
18 character.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body commends
2 Michael O'Kelly for his honesty and integrity and his parents Marvin and Katrina O'Kelly
3 for their hard work in raising such a fine young man.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Michael O'Kelly and Marvin and Katrina
6 O'Kelly.