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Senate Resolution 243

By: Senators Miller of the 49th, Gooch of the 51st, Jackson of the 24th and Butterworth of the 50th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Colonel Benjamin Jefferson Hulsey III on the occasion of his
- 2 retirement; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, our nation's security continues to rely on patriotic men and women who put
- 4 their personal lives on hold in order to place themselves in harm's way to protect the
- 5 freedoms that all United States citizens cherish; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Colonel Benjamin Jefferson Hulsey III has long been recognized by the citizens
- 7 of this nation for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal
- 8 commitment to the welfare of the citizens of the United States; and
- 9 WHEREAS, the beloved son of Ben and Dorothy Hulsey, Colonel Hulsey has served as a
- 10 guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United States Air Force since 1983,
- valiantly and courageously defending his fellow Americans for the past 28 years; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he served as the director of the prestigious 60th Anniversary Celebration of the
- 13 Air Force, which included the dedication of the impressive Air Force Memorial near the
- 14 Pentagon in Washington, D.C.; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he is united in love and marriage to his supportive wife, Connie Poole Hulsey;
- 16 and
- 17 WHEREAS, Colonel Hulsey embodies the spirit of service, willing to find meaning in
- something greater than himself, and his decades of service as a guardian of this nation's
- 19 freedom and liberty are worthy of recognition.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 21 commend Colonel Benjamin Jefferson Hulsey III for his efficient, effective, unselfish, and
- 22 dedicated public service to the citizens of his country; congratulate him upon the grand

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23 occasion of his retirement; express their gratitude for his sacrifice in serving as a guardian

- 24 of this nation's freedom and liberty; and extend to him their most sincere best wishes for
- 25 continued health and happiness.
- 26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 27 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Colonel Benjamin Jefferson Hulsey III.