

Senate Resolution 338

By: Senators Hill of the 4th, Millar of the 40th, Kirk of the 13th, Thompson of the 14th, Watson of the 1st and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the bravery of Army Specialist Winston Hencely; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Army Specialist Winston Hencely graduated from Effingham County High
3 School with honors in 2014 and joined the United States Army; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Army Specialist Hencely was valiantly and heroically serving his country in
5 Afghanistan when he was injured in a suicide bomber explosion at Bagram Airfield,
6 Afghanistan; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he was only 20 years old at the time of the explosion, but despite his youth, he
8 has been extremely dedicated to his role in the United States Army and is known for his
9 outstanding aptitude and hard work; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he has undergone multiple surgeries and encountered obstacles during his
11 recovery, but Army Specialist Hencely has surmounted the difficulties he has faced like the
12 hero he is; and
- 13 WHEREAS, this state, its citizens, and the members of this body have been greatly moved
14 by the courageousness of this young man, and are grateful for the sacrifices he has made to
15 defend the liberty of this great nation.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY SENATE that the members of this body join
17 in honoring the bravery of Army Specialist Winston Hencely and extend him their best
18 wishes for a full recovery.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
20 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for Army Specialist Winston
21 Hencely.