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Senate Resolution No. 2186

BY: Senator HINCHEY

CONGRATULATING George L. Wilkins upon the occasion
of celebrating his 100th Birthday

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to commemorate
and recognize certain milestones celebrated by citizens of this great
Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Senior citizens bring a wealth of experience and knowledge
to the increasingly active roles they play in today's society; their
past contributions and future participation are a vital part of, and
valuable asset to, the fabric of community life and activity; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its
long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to
congratulate George L. Wilkins upon the occasion of his 100th Birthday,
celebrated on Monday, January 15, 2024; and

WHEREAS, Born on January 15, 1924, George L. Wilkins of Highland,
New York, has experienced the incredible joys and sorrows characteristic
of and reserved for those with the stamina and courage to savor a full
life; and

WHEREAS, With his zest for life, this exceptional centenarian has
inspired and enhanced the lives of his family and friends; he has truly
enriched those around him through his joyous and sincere love for others

and through the profound charm and wisdom which comes only from a fullness of years; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recognize those who have reached such a remarkable age and who have witnessed and celebrated the innovations, cultural developments, and magnificent achievements of this country during the last century, while themselves contributing to the growth and excellence of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to Congratulate George L. Wilkins upon the occasion of celebrating his 100th Birthday; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to George L. Wilkins.