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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Dr. Ronald Uva upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those distinguished citizens who devote their time and energies to the service of their community and profession, participating in civic affairs and enhancing the character and quality of life for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Dr. Ronald Uva upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; and

WHEREAS, President of Oswego County OB GYN, P.C., Dr. Ronald Uva has been on Oswego Hospital's active medical staff for more than 30 years; he has taken an active role in his profession and has rendered distinguished service on several New York State medical boards; and

WHEREAS, In May 2012, Dr. Ronald Uva was presented with a Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG); he was named an ACOG 2012 John McCain Fellow; in addition, he has served on ACOG's national committee for professional liability and has been its legislative chair; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ronald Uva has recently begun his second five-year term on the New York State Board for Medicine; he is believed to be the first physician from Oswego Health to be named to this prestigious Board; and

WHEREAS, In 2011, Dr. Ronald Uva was elected as Vice Chair of the New York District of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; and

WHEREAS, Active with the Medical Society of the State of New York, Dr. Ronald Uva is the author of semi-annual book reviews for the Society; he also writes a monthly column for the PALLADIUM-TIMES, "Today's Health for the Empowered Woman"; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ronald Uva earned his undergraduate degree from the University of Buffalo and attended medical school at the University of Studies of Bologna, in Bologna, Italy; his residency was completed at Upstate Medical Center in Syracuse, New York; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion presents a unique opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to Dr. Ronald Uva; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his professional and community service, a period of constructive involvement, Dr. Ronald Uva has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individual for the benefit of others which Dr. Ronald Uva has displayed throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their profession and community, and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Dr. Ronald Uva upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dr. Ronald Uva.