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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commemorating the Anniversary of the Salem Missionary Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York, to be celebrated in May of 2016

WHEREAS, Religious institutions, and the many spiritual, social and educational benefits they confer, play a vital role in the development of the moral fabric of a responsible citizenry; and

WHEREAS, It is the tradition of this State and this Nation to pay tribute to those institutions and individuals who have contributed to the ethical and spiritual values of their communities; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body takes pleasure in commemorating the Anniversary of the Salem Missionary Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York, to be celebrated in May of 2016; and

WHEREAS, The Salem Missionary Baptist Church stands on the threshold of tomorrow, prepared to meet the challenges of the coming decades while retaining that spiritual resolve which characterizes its past; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to take note of enduring religious institutions and to bring such institutions to the attention of the people of this Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the Anniversary of the Salem Missionary Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York, to be observed in May of 2016, fully confident that this commemoration reflects the belief in those values which enhance the dignity and purpose of life; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Salem Missionary Baptist Church, Brooklyn, New York.