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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending Jerry Berkson upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Senior Recognition Honor by the Town of North Hempstead on May 17, 2016

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, This Legislative Body is justly proud to commend Jerry Berkson upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Senior Recognition Honor by the Town of North Hempstead which was celebrated with a Luncheon on Tuesday, May 17, 2016, at Harbor Links Golf Course, Port Washington, New York; and

WHEREAS, Members of older generations have helped build and shape our Nation to be the greatest in the world; they have defended our freedoms and values to ensure that those who come after them may have better lives; nowhere in the Nation is the legacy of their efforts more visible and more a part of the lives of all citizens than here in the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed man has been called upon to contribute his time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of himself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of his community service, a period of constructive involvement, Jerry Berkson 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 Jerry Berkson has displayed throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Berkson, a very active and industrious man, has

inspired and enriched the lives of those he serves through his volunteerism, generously sharing the wisdom gained over years of experiencing life to its fullest; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend Jerry Berkson upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Senior Recognition Honor by the Town of North Hempstead on May 17, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Jerry Berkson.