## **Senator Coughlin**

## RESOLUTION

In memory of Gunnery Sergeant Robert Gilbert.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio extend our condolences to the family and friends of Gunnery Sergeant Robert Gilbert in their bereavement; and

WHEREAS, Robert Gilbert was a truly unforgettable man whose words and actions endeared him to everyone who knew him. A remarkable person who experienced joy, understood kindness and loyalty, and knew how to communicate his beliefs and share his strengths, he confronted challenges and faced adversity with an admirable spirit, and the legacy of care and commitment he established will surely live on; and

WHEREAS, A member of the Revere High School Class of 2000, Robert Gilbert was a ten-year veteran of the United States Marine Corps, and during his tenure, he served five tours of duty in the Middle East, most recently in Afghanistan. He was devoted to our country, and the ultimate sacrifice that he made to defend the ideals of democracy will stand as a monument to his personal character; and

WHEREAS, Robert Gilbert's selfless dedication to the welfare of others distinguished him as an outstanding human being and a leading citizen. It is our sincere hope that his memory will be a source of comfort to those who loved and cherished him; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, express a

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profound sense of loss and genuine regret at the death of Gunnery Sergeant Robert Gilbert and pay tribute to this honorable man; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the family of Gunnery Sergeant Robert Gilbert.