

ENROLLED HOUSE
RESOLUTION NO. 1016

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A Resolution commending Connie Blair and the EC-130E crew for assisting in the rescue of the downed stealth fighter pilot in Yugoslavia; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, in the words of one of our United States Presidents, "I challenge a new generation of young Americans to a season of service"; and

WHEREAS, one of our finest Air Force personnel, Connie Blair, received the first signal from the downed Air Force Stealth bomber and notified the chain of command in order to save the life of the flyer; and

WHEREAS, the great State of Oklahoma and the nation deeply appreciate the commitment to duty and service that Connie Blair, radio operator on an EC-130E, exhibited by performing her duties in an outstanding and professional manner.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 47TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives commends Connie Blair and the entire staff of the EC-130E for their immediate response to

the "mayday" call of the downed Stealth bomber pilot which ultimately led to the joyful rescue of the Armed Services pilot who was on a NATO mission in Yugoslavia.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to Connie Blair's proud parents, William and Jane Fleig, and to her beautiful daughter, Sarra.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 30th day of March, 1999.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives