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AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To express the sense of the Senate that General David H. Petraeus, Commanding General, Multi-National Force-Iraq, deserves the full support of the Senate and strongly condemn personal attacks on the honor and integrity of General Petraeus and all the members of the United States Armed Forces.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. CORNYN

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- 1 At the end of subtitle E of title X, add the following:
- 2 **SEC. 1070. SENSE OF SENATE ON GENERAL DAVID**
- 3 **PETRAEUS.**
- 4 (a) FINDINGS.—The Senate makes the following
- 5 findings:

1 (1) The Senate unanimously confirmed General
2 David H. Petraeus as Commanding General, Multi-
3 National Force-Iraq, by a vote of 81-0 on January
4 26, 2007.

5 (2) General Petraeus graduated first in his
6 class at the United States Army Command and Gen-
7 eral Staff College.

8 (3) General Petraeus earned Masters of Public
9 Administration and Doctoral degrees in international
10 relations from Princeton University.

11 (4) General Petraeus has served multiple com-
12 bat tours in Iraq, including command of the 101st
13 Airborne Division (Air Assault) during combat oper-
14 ations throughout the first year of Operation Iraqi
15 Freedom, which tours included both major combat
16 operations and subsequent stability and support op-
17 erations.

18 (5) General Petraeus supervised the develop-
19 ment and crafting of the United States Army and
20 Marine Corps counterinsurgency manual based in
21 large measure on his combat experience in Iraq,
22 scholarly study, and other professional experiences.

23 (6) General Petraeus has taken a solemn oath
24 to protect and defend the Constitution of the United
25 States of America.

1 (7) During his 35-year career, General
2 Petraeus has amassed a distinguished and unvar-
3 nished record of military service to the United
4 States as recognized by his receipt of a Defense Dis-
5 tinguished Service Medal, two Distinguished Service
6 Medals, two Defense Superior Service Medals, four
7 Legions of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal for valor,
8 the State Department Superior Honor Award, the
9 NATO Meritorious Service Medal, and other awards
10 and medals.

11 (8) A recent attack through a full-page adver-
12 tisement in the New York Times by the liberal activ-
13 ist group, Moveon.org, impugns the honor and integ-
14 rity of General Petraeus and all the members of the
15 United States Armed Forces.

16 (b) SENSE OF SENATE.—It is the sense of the Sen-
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18 (1) to reaffirm its support for all the men and
19 women of the United States Armed Forces, includ-
20 ing General David H. Petraeus, Commanding Gen-
21 eral, Multi-National Force-Iraq;

22 (2) to strongly condemn any effort to attack the
23 honor and integrity of General Petraeus and all the
24 members of the United States Armed Forces; and

1 (3) to specifically repudiate the unwarranted
2 personal attack on General Petraeus by the liberal
3 activist group Moveon.org.