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11-1241-07 1 Senate Resolution 2 A resolution recognizing February 6, 2007, as "Ronald Reagan Day" in Florida. 3 4 5 WHEREAS, President Ronald Wilson Reagan, a man of 6 humble background, worked throughout his life serving freedom 7 and advancing the public good, having been employed as an 8 entertainer, union leader, and corporate spokesman, and elected Governor of California and President of the United 9 States, and 10 WHEREAS, Ronald Reagan served with honor and 11 12 distinction for two terms as the 40th President of the United 13 States of America and was elected to his second term by 3/5ths of the electorate and by 49 of the 50 states, a record 14 unsurpassed in the history of American presidential elections, 15 16 and 17 WHEREAS, in 1981, when Ronald Reagan was inaugurated President, he inherited a disillusioned nation that was 18 shackled by rampant inflation and high unemployment, and 19 WHEREAS, during Mr. Reagan's presidency he worked in a 20 21 bipartisan manner to enact his bold agenda of restoring 22 accountability and common sense to the Federal Government, 23 which led to unprecedented economic expansion and opportunity for millions of Americans, and 2.4 WHEREAS, Mr. Reagan's commitment to an active social 25 policy agenda for the nation's children helped to lower crime 26 27 and reduce drug use in our neighborhoods, and 2.8 WHEREAS, President Reagan's commitment to our armed forces contributed to the restoration of pride in America, her 29 30 values, and those cherished by the free world, and prepared 31 1

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America's Armed Forces to meet the challenges of the 21st Century, and WHEREAS, President Reagan's vision of "peace through strength" led to the end of the Cold War and the ultimate demise of the Soviet Union, guaranteeing basic human rights for millions of people, and WHEREAS, February 6, 2007, will be the 95th anniversary of Ronald Reagan's birth, and the third anniversary since his passing, NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida: That the Senate pauses in its deliberations to honor the memory and accomplishments of President Ronald Wilson Reagan and to recognize February 6, 2007, as "Ronald Reagan Day" in the State of Florida.

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