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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 17-1007

101 **CONCERNING RECOGNITION OF ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF SERVICE BY**
102 **THE 4TH INFANTRY DIVISION.**

1 WHEREAS, The 4th Infantry Division, stationed at Fort Carson,
2 Colorado, celebrates a century of proud service to the United States in
3 2017; and

4 WHEREAS, The 4th Infantry Division was formed during World
5 War I and was originally commanded by Major General George H.
6 Cameron; and

7 WHEREAS, During World War II, the 4th Infantry Division
8 landed at Normandy on D-Day at Utah Beach and fought through Europe,
9 and was the first Allied unit to enter Germany; and

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Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
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HOUSE
Final Reading
January 27, 2017

1 WHEREAS, The "Ivy Division" continued to stand as freedom's
2 sentinel during the Cold War, serving in Europe as well as the highlands
3 of Vietnam; and

4 WHEREAS, The men and women of the 4th Infantry Division
5 have been actively engaged in all phases of the current war against
6 terrorism, including Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring
7 Freedom; and

8 WHEREAS, The 4th Infantry Division's Iron Horse Soldiers also
9 support the Mission Command Element in Europe and continue to stand
10 as a bulwark against oppression with our NATO allies; and

11 WHEREAS, The 4th Infantry Division's soldiers have proudly
12 called Colorado home for thirty-three years of the Division's storied
13 history, being based at Fort Carson from 1970 to 1995 and 2009 to the
14 present; and

15 WHEREAS, Throughout their storied history, the soldiers of the
16 4th Infantry Division have remained true to their motto, "Steadfast and
17 Loyal"; now, therefore,

18 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Seventy-first*
19 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring herein:*

20 That we, the members of the Seventy-first General Assembly,
21 hereby:

22 (1) Extend our heartfelt gratitude for the dedicated service of all
23 members of the 4th Infantry Division, past and present;

24 (2) Express our continued support for these dedicated service
25 members and their families and are proud that they call Colorado home;
26 and

27 (3) Heartily congratulate the 4th Infantry Division and its
28 Commander, Major General Ryan F. Gonsalves, on reaching this historic
29 milestone.

30 *Be It Further Resolved,* That copies of this Joint Resolution be sent
31 to President Donald J. Trump; Governor John Hickenlooper; Ret. Major
32 Vincent Viola, Secretary of the Army; Major General Ryan F. Gonsalves,

1 Commander, 4th Infantry Division; and Colorado's Congressional
2 delegation.