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119TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. CON. RES. \_\_\_\_\_

Expressing support for designation of the first Friday of October as  
“Manufacturing Day”.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. TORRES of California submitted the following concurrent resolution;  
which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing support for designation of the first Friday of  
October as “Manufacturing Day”.

Whereas, according to the most recent data, manufacturers  
contributed \$2,900,000,000,000 to the economy, account-  
ing for 11 percent of gross domestic product;

Whereas this figure has risen significantly over the past dec-  
ade, from \$1,930,000,000,000 in 2012;

Whereas manufacturers in the United States are a significant  
driver of innovation, spending \$372,459,000,000 on re-  
search and development in 2022;

Whereas nearly 12,900,000 people in the United States (or  
over 8 percent of the workforce) are employed directly in

manufacturing, while many millions more jobs are supported through the supply chain and related industries;

Whereas the number of skilled, family wage jobs in this sector is increasing, presenting the opportunity to promote the benefits of a career in manufacturing to young people and their parents; and

Whereas the first Friday of October would be an appropriate date to designate as “Manufacturing Day”: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*  
2 *concurring)*, That Congress supports the designation of  
3 “Manufacturing Day”.