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HR 1033

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8 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

9 TO RECOGNIZE THE ARKANSAS MILITARY AND FIRST
10 RESPONDERS ACADEMY DURING CAREER AND TECHNICAL
11 EDUCATION MONTH FOR PREPARING STUDENTS FOR CAREERS IN
12 THE MILITARY AND AS FIRST RESPONDERS.

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15 **Subtitle**

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22 WHEREAS, the Arkansas Military and First Responders Academy is a
23 tuition-free military and first responders college preparatory academy
24 located in Little Rock, Arkansas; and

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26 WHEREAS, the Arkansas Military and First Responders Academy offers a
27 unique learning culture with a safe environment, high academic standards,
28 student uniforms, smaller classes, and personalized learning plans designed
29 to provide individual attention; and

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31 WHEREAS, the mission of the Arkansas Military and First Responders
32 Academy is to instill and promote in its students, via academic culture, the
33 pursuit of excellence in all aspects of their lives; and

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35 WHEREAS, the Arkansas Military and First Responders Academy encourages
36 critical thinking, emphasizes the learning process over rote memorization,



1 and fosters individual and collective leadership development, accountability,
2 and discipline in order to empower its students with the skills and abilities
3 needed in an ever-advancing world,
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5 NOW THEREFORE,

6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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9 THAT the House of Representatives recognize the Arkansas Military and
10 First Responders Academy during Career and Technical Education Month for
11 preparing students for careers in the military and as first responders.
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13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution be
14 provided to Commandant Lt. Col. Jason Smedley and Chief Academic Officer Dr.
15 Kevin Durand of the Arkansas Military and First Responders Academy by the
16 Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.
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