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Expressing the sense of Congress that the United States Postal Service
should maintain the postal uniform allowance program.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. DEWINE submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was
referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that the United States
Postal Service should maintain the postal uniform allow-
ance program.

Whereas the United States Postal Service has successfully
supplied uniforms to its employees for 42 years under the
postal uniform allowance program;

Whereas the postal uniform allowance program currently pro-
vides business to more than 1,000 American companies
throughout the United States which, in turn, employ
more than 10,000 American workers;

Whereas the United States Postal Service has proposed a
new, centralized uniform procurement system that would
result in substantial loss of business to those American
companies and turn over control of the procurement sys-
tem to a single vendor; and

Whereas the United States Postal Service has, in recent years, become more profitable while continuing to use the postal uniform allowance program: Now therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*
2 *concurring), That it is the sense of Congress that the*
3 *United States Postal Service should maintain its current*
4 *postal uniform allowance program and make necessary*
5 *changes to improve that program, rather than implement*
6 *a centralized, single-vendor program.*

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