

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. CON. RES. 360

Expressing the sense of the Congress that Roberto Clemente was a great athlete and should be honored by a national day of recognition.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 21, 2000

Mr. PASCRELL submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the Congress that Roberto Clemente was a great athlete and should be honored by a national day of recognition.

Whereas during his career in Major League Baseball Roberto Clemente won 12 Gold Gloves, was a National League All-Star 12 times, batted .311 or higher in 13 seasons, won 4 National League batting titles, was the National League's Most Valuable Player in 1971, and was the 11th Major League player to record 3,000 hits;

Whereas Roberto Clemente was a devoted humanitarian and died in a plane crash on December 31, 1972, while flying relief supplies to victims of an earthquake in Nicaragua; and

Whereas Roberto Clemente was the first Hispanic inducted
into the National Baseball Hall of Fame: Now, therefore,
be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of the Congress that—

3 (1) Roberto Clemente was a great athlete and
4 humanitarian; and

5 (2) there should be established a national day
6 of recognition to honor Roberto Clemente.

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