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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION      ***11***

A RESOLUTION      urging a pardon of Gerald "Jerry" DeLemus.

SPONSORS:              Rep. Itse, Rock. 10; Rep. Hoell, Merr. 23; Rep. Horn, Merr. 2; Rep. Ferreira, Hills. 28; Rep. Ulery, Hills. 37; Rep. Wallace, Rock. 33; Sen. French, Dist 7; Sen. Giuda, Dist 2

COMMITTEE:            State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs

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ANALYSIS

This bill urges the President of the United States to issue a pardon to Gerald DeLemus.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Eighteen*

A RESOLUTION       urging a pardon of Gerald "Jerry" DeLemus.

1       Whereas Gerald Allen DeLemus is incarcerated for conspiracy to commit an offense against the  
2 United States, 18 U.S.C. section 371 and interstate travel in aid of extortion, 18 U.S.C. section 1952;  
3 and

4       Whereas the persons actually accused of the committing the offense against the United States,  
5 and conspiring to do so have been found not guilty; and

6       Whereas Mr. DeLemus signed the plea agreement for the sole purpose of protecting a second  
7 individual stricken with cancer from being subpoenaed or indicted; and

8       Whereas a person cannot be guilty of conspiring with other individuals who have been found  
9 not guilty of conspiring; and

10       Whereas a person cannot be guilty of aiding and extortion by other individuals who have been  
11 found not guilty of committing extortion; and

12       Whereas Gerald Allen DeLemus was denied the opportunity to change his plea and obtain a  
13 trial by jury as guaranteed Article VI of the Constitution for the United States of America; now,  
14 therefore, be it

15       Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

16       That the New Hampshire general court humbly requests that Donald J. Trump, President of the  
17 United States of America, pursuant to his powers granted under the Constitution for the United  
18 States, Article II, Section 2, Paragraph 1, grant a full and complete pardon to Mr. Gerald Allen  
19 DeLemus, a favorite son of the state of New Hampshire, and return Mr. DeLemus to his wife the  
20 Honorable Susan DeLemus in their home in Rochester, New Hampshire; and

21       That a copy of this resolution be sent to the speaker of New Hampshire house of representatives  
22 and the president of the New Hampshire senate; and

23       That a joint letter from the speaker of the New Hampshire house of representatives and the  
24 president of the New Hampshire senate, including a copy of this resolution, urging the pardon of  
25 Gerald DeLemus be sent to the President and Vice President of the United States of America within  
26 30 days of the passage of this resolution.