114TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H. RES.

Calling for a formal end of the Korean War.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr.	RANGEL	submitted	the	following	resolution;	which	was	referred	to	the
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RESOLUTION

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- Whereas the Korean War broke out on June 25, 1950, and active combat ceased with the Armistice Agreement signed on July 27, 1953;
- Whereas the Armistice Agreement did not formally end the war, so the Korean War remains one of the world's longest ongoing armed conflicts;
- Whereas the Korean War was a global conflict that involved not only South Korea and North Korea, but also the United States along with more than 20 other nations, which altogether suffered hundreds of thousands casualties and losses, including millions of civilians killed and wounded;

Whereas 2015 marks the 70th anniversary of Korea's independence after Imperial Japan surrendered to the United States during World War II on August 15, 1945; and

Whereas peaceful unification of Korea is desired by all Korean people: Now, therefore, be it

1 Resolved, That the House of Representatives— 2 (1) pays tribute to the sacrifices of the Vet-3 erans of the Korean War, its victims and divided 4 families; and 5 (2) calls upon the international community to 6 support the vision of a unified Korea and assist ef-7 forts to promote international peace and security, 8 denuclearization, economic prosperity, human rights, 9 and the rule of law both on the Korean Peninsula

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and elsewhere.