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## **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 325**

Offered February 15, 2023

**3** *Commending Valentine DaDamio.* 

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- 5 WHEREAS, Valentine DaDamio, a veteran of World War II and a highly respected member of the
  7 Springfield community, celebrates his 100th birthday in 2023; and
- 8 WHEREAS, born on February 16, 1923, Valentine "Val" DaDamio has witnessed countless historical
  9 events throughout his life, from the Great Depression to the moon landing and the dawn of the Internet
  10 era; and
- WHEREAS, Val DaDamio joined many of the other young men of his generation in service to the
   nation during World War II as a member of the United States Army; he was assigned to the 11th
   Armored Division under General George S. Patton's Third Army; and
- 14 WHEREAS, after the war, Val DaDamio pursued a long and successful career in insurance and 15 financial advising; and
- WHEREAS, Val DaDamio subsequently worked for the United States Mint for 23 years until hiswell-earned retirement; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Val DaDamio was a loving husband to his wife Hazel, who passed away in 2001, and19 is a devoted father, grandfather, and great-grandfather; and
- WHEREAS, Val DaDamio is highly admired as a true Virginia gentleman and a wise leader in the
   Springfield community; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That Valentine DaDamio hereby be commended on the occasion of his 100th birthday; and, be it
- 24 RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution
- for presentation to Valentine DaDamio as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for hispersonal and professional achievements.

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