

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 7848

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## *The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, November 26, 1973.

The committee on Rules, to whom were referred the Resolutions (filed by Mr. Daly of Boston) congratulating Radio Station WBZ on its memorial program honoring John F. Kennedy (House, No. 7848), report that the same ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

THOMAS W. McGEE.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

RESOLUTIONS CONGRATULATING RADIO STATION WBZ ON ITS  
MEMORIAL PROGRAM HONORING JOHN F. KENNEDY.

1 *Whereas*, Radio Station WBZ Group W in Boston to its great  
2 credit devoted 24 consecutive hours on the 10th anniversary of  
3 the assassination of John F. Kennedy to a review of the career of  
4 the 35th President of the United States; and

5 *Whereas*, In so doing large numbers of citizens of this  
6 commonwealth were thereby given an opportunity to profit from  
7 a discussion of the character and address of a very great  
8 American of our time, most brutally taken from us at the height  
9 of his career; and

10 *Whereas*, History suggests that it is by such precept and  
11 example that men and women are invited to continue steadfastly  
12 in wise and honorable lives; and

13 *Whereas*, The general health and well being of this Republic,  
14 and this Commonwealth, is thereby immeasurably strengthened,  
15 and its public life adored; and

16 *Whereas*, The foregoing notwithstanding, it is at all times  
17 salutary and proper that we should honor those among us who  
18 have graced the public service, and in particular, those whose  
19 lives have been forfeit to its exigencies; and

20 *Whereas*, In these difficult times the memory of the life and  
21 work of the late President cannot but help to restore citizens  
22 confidence in the integrity of public service and their respect for  
23 government generally; and

24 *Whereas*, This commonwealth shares uniquely in the extent  
25 and quality of the life and work of the late President who was a  
26 native son of distinguished family; a graduate of Harvard College  
27 whose literary distinction earned him a Pulitzer Prize; and served  
28 as Congressman and U.S. Senator from this Commonwealth; be  
29 it

30 *Resolved*, That the honorable House of Representatives com-  
31 mends Group W Boston (Radio Station WBZ) for their moving  
32 and public spirited tribute to the late President, and takes public

33 notice of the fine example of the ways in which the media may  
34 contribute importatntly to the quality of all our lives; and be it  
35 further

36 *Resolved*, That copies of this resolution be sent by the  
37 Secretary of the Commonwealth to Bill Cusack, General  
38 Manager, WBZ Radio, 1170 Soldiers Field Road, Brighton and  
39 Chairman, Federal Communication Commission, Washington  
40 D.C.

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Adopted.

WALLACE C. MILLS,  
*Clerk.*

