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Designating October 12, 2022, as "National Loggers Day".

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 21, 2022

Mr. DURBIN for (Ms. BALDWIN (for herself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. RISCH, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. KING, and Mr. DAINES)) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

RESOLUTION

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- Whereas the logging industry has served as an economic driver and cultural tradition in the United States for centuries;
- Whereas the logging industry creates rural jobs and provides revenue for local and State governments and National Forests;
- Whereas loggers provide renewable material for products used by people in the United States every day;
- Whereas loggers are the first link in the \$300,000,000 domestic forest products supply chain;
- Whereas loggers are the means by which healthy forest management plans are accomplished;

Whereas logging provides for healthy forests that maintain vital animal habitats;

Whereas logging provides for healthy forests which—

(1) protect watersheds;

(2) sequester carbon;

- (3) provide public recreational opportunities; and
- (4) reduce loss of life and property from wildfires; and

Whereas logging provides for healthy forests through regeneration, including planting 2,500,000,000 trees annually: Now, therefore, be it

- Resolved, That the Senate—
 (1) designates October 12, 2022, as "National
 Loggers Day"; and
 (2) encourages the President to officially des-
- 5 ignate October 12th as "National Loggers Day".

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