

No. R-281. House concurrent resolution congratulating the Champlain Cable Corporation of Colchester on winning the 2014 Deane C. Davis Outstanding Business Award and on the corporation's 60th anniversary.

(H.C.R.209)

Offered by: Representatives Dakin of Colchester, Brennan of Colchester, Condon of Colchester, and Purvis of Colchester

Offered by: Senator Mazza

Whereas, the Champlain Cable Corporation of Colchester (Champlain Cable) was established in 1955, and its manufacturing focus was on cable-related products for the aerospace industry and the military, and

Whereas, over the ensuing 60 years, Champlain Cable has expanded its scope to include products for the industrial, telecommunication, automotive, and commercial vehicle markets, and

Whereas, Champlain Cable's corporate principles include providing unparalleled service, quality, and engineering support; efficient utilization of all its resources; focusing on quality; and offering reliable high-speed data and signal transmission solutions, and

Whereas, during the past decade, Champlain Cable has doubled its workforce and transitioned from a national to an international business, and

Whereas, its employees are well compensated, and

Whereas, the corporation maintains an extensive outreach for both charitable donations and volunteer community services, and

Whereas, annually, the Vermont Chamber of Commerce and *Vermont Business Magazine* present the Deane C. Davis Outstanding Business Award to a business "that has met the highest standards of excellence over the past year," and

Whereas, the award's recipient must demonstrate continued growth, creation of a positive work environment, and a commitment to community improvement, and

Whereas, Champlain Cable met the award's criteria with flying colors, and on May 21, 2015, the two sponsoring organizations presented to Champlain Cable, the 2014 Deane C. Davis Outstanding Business Award, and

Whereas, Champlain Cable could not have envisioned a more welcome recognition as it observed its 60th anniversary, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the Champlain Cable Corporation of Colchester on winning the 2014 Deane C. Davis Outstanding Business Award and on the company's 60th anniversary, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Champlain Cable Corporation in Colchester.