Senate Resolution No. 325

BY: Senator PARKER

COMMENDING the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York upon the occasion of its 180th Annual Grand Session

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those organizations of high purpose and worthy accomplishment whose endeavors have faithfully served the welfare of the citizens of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York upon the occasion of its 180th Annual Grand Session; and

WHEREAS, The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York, a revered and historic institution, has continually embodied the principles of "Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth" and has long stood as a beacon of service and leadership to the communities of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1812 and officially chartered in 1848, the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge has upheld a legacy of resilience, unity, and dedication to justice, equality, and community empowerment, while strengthening the moral and spiritual foundations of countless individuals; and

WHEREAS, The Annual Grand Session provides an opportunity for the distinguished members of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge to reflect on their shared mission, evaluate their accomplishments, and chart a course for the future while simultaneously reinforcing the bonds of fellowship and collective service; and

WHEREAS, This 180th Annual Grand Session continues a proud tradition of convening leaders who demonstrate an unwavering commitment to charitable works, educational initiatives, and advocacy efforts which benefit the most vulnerable populations within their reach; and

WHEREAS, The success of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York is in direct correlation to the efforts of its esteemed leadership, including the Most Worshipful Grand Master and the diligent officers and members who serve with vision, integrity, and an uncompromising standard of excellence; and

WHEREAS, The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York has truly demonstrated continuous service to the residents and communities it serves, maintaining an extraordinary commitment to fostering unity, uplifting humanity, and improving the quality of life for all; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to

commend the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York, upon the occasion of its 180th Annual Grand Session, and to recognize its significant contributions to the heritage and progress of the great State of New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of New York.