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Honoring Private First Class Nicholas Cournoyer

Concord, NH - Following the passing of House Bill 189, Senator James Gray released the following statement:

"I am grateful for the opportunity to honor and commemorate the service of Private First Class Nicholas Cournoyer, who lost his life while protecting our freedoms," stated Senator Gray.

"Private Cournoyer was tragically killed in action when an improvised explosive device (IED) detonated during combat. He is a decorated soldier having received a Purple Heart, Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon and the Combat Infantryman Badge. HB 189 memorializes the bravery of his service and ultimate sacrifice through the renaming of a portion of route 140 in Gilmanton, New Hampshire."

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