

House Clerk Miller Honored

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Philadelphia --- Congressman Robert A. Brady (D., PA) today released the following statement on the appointment of Lorraine C. Miller to Clerk of the House for the 110th Congress.

"The historic and well deserved appointment of Ms. Miller as the first African American Clerk of the House, and only the third woman Clerk in more than 200 years is an important step in the history of the nation.

"More and more the highest ranks of government are starting reflect the diversity that is America. Ms. Miller is well respected for her remarkable career in public service both in the House of Representatives and also in the Executive Branch.

"As we prepare to celebrate Black History Month, it is an important milestone that another racial and gender barrier has been breached.

"I extend heartfelt congratulation to Ms. Miller and thanks to Speaker Pelosi for reaching out for the best."