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DETAILED ANALYSIS

The act designates the following highway and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the highway indicating its name:

Designated Name	"CPT Louis John Speidel Memorial Highway" ¹
Highway	The eastbound and westbound lanes of State Route 28 between Castleberry Court and the Happy Hallow Road Overpass, in Clermont County
Other Information	Captain Speidel served in the United States Army as a helicopter pilot. On April 23, 1971, his helicopter was shot down by communist forces during a mission in Vietnam where he sustained serious injuries. Captain Speidel died on June 25, 1971, as the result of his injuries from the helicopter crash.

HISTORY

Action	Date
Introduced	03-12-25
Reported, H. Transportation	05-07-25
Passed House (95-0)	05-21-25
Reported, S. Transportation	10-01-25
Passed Senate (28-0)	10-08-25

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* The Legislative Service Commission had not received formal notification of the effective date at the time this analysis was prepared. Additionally, the analysis may not reflect action taken by the Governor.

¹ R.C. 5534.673.

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