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H.R. No. 231

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Catarina Barajas of KISD Career Center in Killeen  
2 earned great distinction by turning in an exceptional performance  
3 at the Educators Rising 2021 National Conference; and

4 WHEREAS, Educators Rising is a student-led grassroots  
5 movement with chapters in every state; by coordinating efforts with  
6 state departments of education and local organizations, the  
7 initiative is cultivating a new generation of diverse and highly  
8 motivated educators by guiding youth toward careers in teaching; in  
9 the Lone Star State, Educators Rising is affiliated with the Texas  
10 Association of Future Educators, a nonprofit created in 1984 that  
11 assists middle school and high school pupils in exploring the  
12 teaching profession; and

13 WHEREAS, Joining students from around the country at the  
14 national conference, Catarina Barajas placed second in Ethical  
15 Dilemma; this gifted young Texan has benefited from the guidance of  
16 teacher leader/advisor Tina Tamplen; and

17 WHEREAS, Catarina Barajas has demonstrated exemplary skill  
18 and discipline in preparing for a career in education and may look  
19 ahead to a future that is bright with promise; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
21 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Catarina  
22 Barajas on an outstanding performance at the Educators Rising 2021  
23 National Conference and extend sincere best wishes to this  
24 dedicated student for continued success; and, be it further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for Catarina Barajas as an expression of high regard by the  
3 Texas House of Representatives.