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H.R. No. 1238

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, In her service as Capitol nurse practitioner during  
2 the 87th Legislative Session, Ginger McGalin has skillfully  
3 attended to the health care needs of the legislative community; and

4           WHEREAS, A native Texan, Ms. McGalin began serving in the  
5 United States Navy Reserve as a hospital corpsman in 1986, and she  
6 remained enlisted while undertaking nursing studies at Lamar  
7 University in Beaumont, where she graduated with a bachelor's  
8 degree in May 1993; she subsequently accepted a commission as a Navy  
9 Nurse Corps officer and continued in that role until retiring from  
10 active duty in 1996; and

11           WHEREAS, Following her discharge, Ms. McGalin earned her  
12 master's degree and completed her education as a family nurse  
13 practitioner at The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston  
14 in December 1998; over the years, she has been employed in a variety  
15 of settings, including clinics, hospitals, nursing homes, and state  
16 prison infirmaries, and she also served as the Jefferson County  
17 Employee Health nurse practitioner; and

18           WHEREAS, Ms. McGalin began her work as Capitol nurse  
19 practitioner in October 2018, and she has since provided care to  
20 elected officials and state employees who work in the Capitol  
21 Complex, as well as to citizens who are visiting; in addition, she  
22 has volunteered as preceptor for nurse practitioner students from  
23 UT Austin and from online universities; her outside interests  
24 include horses, travel, and photography, and above all else, she

1 cherishes spending time with her twin daughters, Jordyn and Jaedyn;  
2 and

3 WHEREAS, By providing exceptional medical care during the  
4 legislative session, Ginger McGalin has helped to ensure the  
5 well-being and productivity of the legislative community, and her  
6 dedication has earned her the respect and appreciation of all who  
7 know her; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
9 Legislature hereby honor Ginger McGalin for her service as Capitol  
10 nurse practitioner and extend to her sincere best wishes for  
11 continued success; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
13 prepared for Ms. McGalin as an expression of high regard by the  
14 Texas House of Representatives.