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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Reverend Dr. Stephen C. Nash concluded his
2 tenure as senior pastor of Mount Tabor Missionary Baptist Church in
3 Dallas on May 3, 2020, after 32 years of committed service to that
4 congregation; and

5 WHEREAS, A graduate of Bishop College, Dr. Nash went on to
6 earn doctorates from Aspen Theological Seminary and Survine
7 Ministries Bible College and Theological Seminary; in the course of
8 his more than 52 years in the ministry, he has pastored at churches
9 in Van Alstyne, McKinney, Marshall, and Lubbock, and he assumed the
10 pulpit at Mount Tabor Baptist on October 13, 1988; he currently
11 serves as executive pastor at Mt. Horeb Missionary Baptist Church
12 in DeSoto; and

13 WHEREAS, In addition to fulfilling his pastoral duties,
14 Dr. Nash is an author and CEO and president of SCN Ministries;
15 moreover, he has held leadership roles with a number of worthy
16 organizations, including the Texas Interdenominational Ministers'
17 Alliance and the National Baptist Convention; over the years, he
18 has been recognized with such prestigious accolades as the
19 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus and
20 the Minister of the Year award from the Interdenominational
21 Ministerial Alliance; and

22 WHEREAS, Dr. Nash is blessed with a fine family that includes
23 his children, Angela and Stephen, and his six grandchildren; and

24 WHEREAS, This inspiring clergyman led Mount Tabor Missionary

1 Baptist Church with conviction and compassion, and he has earned
2 the lasting respect and admiration of his congregants and members
3 of the wider community; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate the Reverend Dr. Stephen C. Nash on
6 his retirement as senior pastor of Mount Tabor Missionary Baptist
7 Church and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success;
8 and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
10 prepared for Dr. Nash as an expression of high regard by the Texas
11 House of Representatives.