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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Bobbie Cohen has long dedicated herself to serving
2 her community as a member of the Greater Houston Section of the
3 National Council of Jewish Women; and

4 WHEREAS, The Greater Houston Section of the National Council
5 of Jewish Women promotes social justice through education and
6 legislative advocacy in such areas as children's rights, economic
7 justice, health care, human trafficking, reproductive justice,
8 LGBTQ rights, and gender-related violence; the organization's more
9 than 700 members contribute to the community through a number of
10 initiatives, including its Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse agency,
11 its educational programs and services for homeless and foster
12 youth, and its annual Back 2 School event, which provides free
13 clothing, school supplies, and other items to families in need; and

14 WHEREAS, Bobbie Cohen has held numerous positions on the
15 Greater Houston Section of the National Council of Jewish Women
16 board, including Career Branch president, and for nearly a decade,
17 she has served as the group's state policy advocate; over the years,
18 she has demonstrated her dedication to advancing marginalized
19 communities and to supporting labor and civil rights issues through
20 demonstrations and advocacy, and she has collaborated with a number
21 of other organizations such as Americans United, the American Civil
22 Liberties Union, Black Lives Matter, and the Texas LGBTQ Caucus;
23 she has also served as a valued mentor; and

24 WHEREAS, Through her leadership and commitment to uplifting

1 those around her, Bobbie Cohen has greatly benefited the Greater
2 Houston Section of the National Council of Jewish Women, and she may
3 indeed reflect with pride on her many contributions to the
4 organization and to the greater community; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
6 Legislature hereby commend Bobbie Cohen for her many years of
7 service to the Greater Houston Section of the National Council of
8 Jewish Women and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future;
9 and, be it further

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