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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The eighth-grade class of St. Laurence Catholic
School in Sugar Land is taking part in Catholic Advocacy Day at the
State Capitol on March 28, 2023; and

WHEREAS, St. Laurence Catholic School opened its doors in 1992, and it has since grown into the largest coeducational parish grade school in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, with approximately 700 students in prekindergarten through eighth grade; and

WHEREAS, Under the leadership of current principal Suzanne 9 Barto, the school offers a well-rounded Catholic education focused 10 11 on academics, social development, and community service; students 12 can also participate in extracurricular activities ranging from 13 choir and art to robotics and student council; over the years, the 14 school has received numerous accolades, including two National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence awards, and it was recognized as a 15 16 STREAM Synergy School by the archdiocese; and

WHEREAS, For more than three decades, St. Laurence Catholic School has provided young Texans with a strong foundation on which build, and the school is indeed deserving of special recognition; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas Legislature hereby honor the members of the eighth-grade class of St. Laurence Catholic School on the occasion of their visit to the State Capitol and extend to all those associated with the school

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1 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 3 prepared for St. Laurence Catholic School as an expression of high 4 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.