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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, An exemplary student received well-deserved
- 2 recognition when Ian Valdez was named a University of Texas at
- 3 El Paso Top Ten Senior for 2023; and
- WHEREAS, Presented by the UTEP Alumni Association, the award
- 5 recognizes the university's most promising graduating or recently
- 6 graduated seniors; honorees are chosen on the basis of multiple
- 7 criteria, including academic achievement, involvement, leadership,
- 8 and service, both in the community and on campus; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Valdez attended UT Dallas, played for a soccer
- 10 team in Argentina, and served in the military before returning to
- 11 his hometown to continue his education at UTEP; while completing
- 12 his studies as a political science major, he has attended the Law
- 13 School Preparation Institute and has served as an Archer Fellow in
- 14 Washington, D.C.; he also led the Green Fund Committee for two
- 15 years; in the future, he plans to attend law school and pursue a
- 16 career in the judiciary; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Through the dedication he has demonstrated in all
- 18 his endeavors, Ian Valdez has built a strong foundation for
- 19 continued achievement, and he is indeed deserving of this
- 20 prestigious accolade; now, therefore, be it
- 21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
- 22 Legislature hereby congratulate Ian Valdez on his receipt of a 2023
- 23 Top Ten Seniors Award from the UTEP Alumni Association and extend to
- 24 him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1801 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House