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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Saivi Bhandary of Girl Scout Troop No. 5874 has attained the Girl Scout Gold Award, and this accomplishment truly merits recognition; and

WHEREAS, To earn this distinction, Ms. Bhandary demonstrated creativity, initiative, and leadership in completing a Take Action project that has resulted in lasting and positive change; working with the Himalayan Health Initiative, she helped to improve sanitation education for students at Sathya Uddyhan, a school in Jolkhu, Nepal, where she taught handwashing and toothbrushing techniques; she also distributed hygiene kits and helped to launch annual "Health Days" to promote continued awareness within the school community; and

WHEREAS, By fostering self-confidence and by encouraging young women to explore educational and career opportunities and to become more socially conscious, the Girl Scout program is helping its participants to achieve their greatest potential as engaged citizens and leaders; and

WHEREAS, The maturity and dedication that Ms. Bhandary has demonstrated in pursuit of her goals truly exemplify the highest ideals of the Girl Scouts, and she may reflect with pride on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the 89th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Saivi Bhandary on her receipt of the Girl Scout Gold Award and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued

success and happiness; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for Ms. Bhandary as an expression of high regard by the Texas Senate.