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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Coach Don Tullos will be inducted into the Texas
2 Association of Basketball Coaches Hall of Fame in November 2003,
3 and this honor provides a fitting opportunity to reflect on his many
4 achievements; and

5 WHEREAS, A member of the coaching community for 35 years, he
6 began his storied career at Latexo and the following year moved on
7 to Slocum, where he coached both boys' and girls' teams; Coach
8 Tullos next took his considerable talents to Grapeland, and during
9 his 11 years with that school, he guided the Sandiettes to three UIL
10 state tournaments; and

11 WHEREAS, This remarkable coach devoted the past 15 years to
12 building the Lovelady Lady Lions into a consistent winner, and at
13 the time of his retirement in May 2003, he had a career winning
14 total of 1,022 victories; and

15 WHEREAS, Don Tullos has created a legacy of coaching
16 excellence that is an inspiration to all those in his profession,
17 and it is truly appropriate that he receive special legislative
18 recognition for his achievements; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
20 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Coach Don
21 Tullos on his induction into the Texas Association of Basketball
22 Coaches Hall of Fame and extend to him sincere best wishes for
23 continued success in all his endeavors; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Coach Tullos as an expression of high regard by the
2 Texas House of Representatives.