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RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS, For 25 years, Dr. H. Edwin Young has served as pastor
- 2 of Second Baptist Church in Houston, sharing his knowledge and
- 3 experience with his fellow congregants and benefiting his community
- 4 in countless ways; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Born in Laurel, Mississippi, on August 11, 1936, Dr.
- 6 Young attended the University of Alabama before enrolling in
- 7 Mississippi College; he later continued his education at
- 8 Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest, North
- 9 Carolina; and
- 10 WHEREAS, This respected gentleman led churches in North
- 11 Carolina and South Carolina before beginning his outstanding tenure
- 12 with the Second Baptist Church in Houston; respected by congregants
- and peers alike, he has served as president of the Southern Baptist
- 14 Convention and authored several books; and
- WHEREAS, A devoted family man, Dr. Young has enjoyed a strong
- 16 and loving marriage with his wife of 44 years, Jo Beth; together
- they have been blessed with three sons and eight grandchildren; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Young is a man of great faith and integrity, and
- 19 his passion for teaching and preaching the Word continues to
- 20 inspire those who are privileged to know this fine man; now,
- 21 therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
- 23 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby honor Dr. H. Edwin Young
- 24 for his 25 years of service as pastor of Second Baptist Church in

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- 1 Houston and extend to him best wishes for continued success and
- 2 happiness; and, be it further
- 3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 4 prepared for Dr. Young as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 5 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 123 was adopted by the House on August 18, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House