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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, William E. Sleeper is ending a highly successful
2 term as president of the Independent Insurance Agents of Dallas,
3 and this occasion provides a fitting opportunity to honor him and to
4 recognize his many achievements; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Sleeper has been a force in the Texas insurance
6 industry for more than 30 years, and his hard work and dedication
7 have earned him the respect of colleagues throughout the Lone Star
8 State; and

9 WHEREAS, President of Sleeper, Sewell & Company, this
10 accomplished professional has rendered outstanding service to
11 commercial and personal clients as an account executive in
12 property, casualty, life, and health insurance for this highly
13 regarded agency; and

14 WHEREAS, In addition to serving as the company's president,
15 Mr. Sleeper works as a risk management consultant through the
16 William E. Sleeper Company, a division of Sleeper, Sewell &
17 Company, assisting clients in risk management, including risk
18 analysis, risk transfer, risk funding, and risk control; and

19 WHEREAS, A graduate of Principia College in Eslah, Illinois,
20 Mr. Sleeper has demonstrated a commitment to staying abreast of
21 relevant topics in his field; over the years he has earned
22 designation as a chartered property casualty underwriter, an
23 associate in risk management, an associate in management, a
24 chartered life underwriter, and an accredited advisor in insurance

1 designation; additionally, he is a licensed property and liability
2 recording agent for life insurance and risk management; and

3 WHEREAS, This esteemed gentleman has further served his
4 chosen profession as an active member of the Chartered Property
5 Casualty Underwriters (CPCU) Society, the Independent Insurance
6 Agents of Texas, and the Independent Insurance Agents of America;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, Despite his demanding professional life,
9 Mr. Sleeper has continued to make time in his schedule to work for
10 the betterment of his community; the Park Cities Rotary Club and
11 Rotary International have benefited from his time and many talents
12 in myriad ways; and

13 WHEREAS, Duly recognized for his innumerable achievements,
14 Mr. Sleeper has received such prestigious accolades as the
15 Distinguished Service Award from the Independent Insurance Agents
16 of Dallas, the Leadership Recognition Award from the CPCU Society,
17 and the Standard Setter Award from the CPCU Society; and

18 WHEREAS, This notable Texan has been supported throughout his
19 career by a close-knit family that includes his beloved wife, Mica,
20 his four daughters, Shannon Wright, Shawn Haney, Jessica Nemmers,
21 and Alyssa Dyson, and his six grandchildren, Corey, Lauren,
22 Brittany, Ryan, Keith, and Luke; he also derives great pleasure
23 from pursuing his favorite hobbies, which include exercising,
24 traveling, and playing in the Town North Concert Band, the Texas All
25 State German Band, the Dixie Flyers, and the Heritage Brass Band;
26 and

27 WHEREAS, Bill Sleeper's extensive contributions to the

1 insurance industry and to his community have touched the lives of
2 many people, and it is a privilege to wish him well as he steps down
3 from the president's post to take on new challenges and
4 opportunities; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
6 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby honor William E. Sleeper on
7 the completion of his exemplary tenure as president of the
8 Independent Insurance Agents of Dallas, and extend to him heartfelt
9 best wishes for continued success and happiness in the years to
10 come; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for Mr. Sleeper as an expression of high regard by the
13 Texas House of Representatives.