

By: Dutton

H.R. No. 254

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The congregants of Apostolic Tabernacle in Houston
2 are deeply appreciative of Dr. Lester A. Roch, their spiritual
3 leader for the past 27 years; and

4 WHEREAS, A graduate of the University of Houston and Freedom
5 University, Dr. Roch began his ministry at Market Square in
6 downtown Houston before going to the Montrose area and then to
7 Kashmere Gardens; among his many achievements, Dr. Roch may count
8 his invaluable work in the roles of youth minister, director of day
9 care, assistant principal, and outreach director; in addition to
10 serving as pastor of the Apostolic Tabernacle, he oversees the
11 Africa team to Zimbabwe and serves on the committee of evangelism
12 into the black community; and

13 WHEREAS, Through abiding commitment and tireless efforts,
14 Dr. Roch has ably served the Apostolic Tabernacle as well as the
15 greater Houston community, earning the respect and admiration of
16 all who have had the privilege to work with him, and it is indeed a
17 pleasure to join in paying tribute to him at this time; now,
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
20 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby honor Dr. Lester A. Roch
21 for his 27 years of service as pastor of the Apostolic Tabernacle
22 and extend to him best wishes for continued success and happiness;
23 and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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