

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The year 2003 marks the retirement of Trooper Joseph  
2 R. Cerney of Hondo from the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS),  
3 drawing to a close an outstanding 25-year career with the state; and

4           WHEREAS, A San Antonio native, this esteemed Texan served his  
5 country with distinction in the United States Air Force from 1971  
6 until 1975, when he was honorably discharged; and

7           WHEREAS, Trooper Cerney entered the DPS Academy in January  
8 1979, and upon completion he was assigned to the Highway Patrol  
9 Service in Hondo; in 1995, he transferred to the License and Weight  
10 Service and was promoted to senior corporal in 2001; and

11           WHEREAS, The son of proud parents, Robert and Leta Cerney,  
12 Trooper Cerney has enjoyed in all his endeavors the love and support  
13 of his family, including wife Diana Cerney, their two daughters  
14 Jessica and Ashley, and one grandson, Noah; and

15           WHEREAS, Trooper Cerney has served the State of Texas with  
16 integrity and dedication throughout his career, earning the lasting  
17 respect of all who have been privileged to work with him, and it is a  
18 pleasure to recognize his exemplary tenure with the state as he  
19 embarks on this new chapter in his life; now, therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
21 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Trooper  
22 Joseph R. Cerney for his notable career with the Texas Department of  
23 Public Safety and extend to him best wishes for continued  
24 happiness; and, be it further

H.R. No. 265

1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for Trooper Cerney as an expression of high regard by the  
3 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 265 was adopted by the House on  
October 8, 2003, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House