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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Combat Infantryman Badge was established to 2 recognize gallant and intrepid service by a member of the United 3 States Army, and through his courageous actions in Vietnam, Joel 4 Jimenez distinguished himself as a worthy recipient of this 5 prestigious medal; and

6 WHEREAS, Over the course of his military service, Mr. 7 Jimenez, a former specialist in the 77th Armor Regiment, 5th 8 Infantry Division, acted with valor and distinction and made a 9 commendable contribution to his fellow citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, The Combat Infantryman Badge was awarded to Mr. 11 Jimenez on November 25, 1969, for his performance of duty while 12 under hostile fire, as he engaged in active ground combat with the 13 enemy in the Republic of Vietnam; this courageous gentleman will 14 finally be presented with his well-deserved medal on October 20, 15 2003, at Sheppard Air Force Base; and

16 WHEREAS, Through his unfaltering devotion to duty, honor, and 17 his country, Joel Jimenez embodies the highest ideals of the armed 18 service, and he most assuredly merits this notable award; now, 19 therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas 21 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend Joel Jimenez for 22 his service and congratulate him on his receipt of the Army Combat 23 Infantryman Badge; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 351 was adopted by the House on October 10, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House