

By: Wise

H.R. No. 76

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Michael Nieto of Weslaco has received The University
2 of Texas Pan American (UTPA)-Baylor College of Medicine Pre-Medical
3 Honors College scholarship; and

4 WHEREAS, A senior at Weslaco High School, Mr. Nieto was one of
5 16 scholarship recipients whose academic achievements,
6 extracurricular activities, and community involvement stood out
7 among the 100 applicants for this prestigious eight-year
8 scholarship, which covers tuition for undergraduate studies at UTPA
9 and for medical school at the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston;
10 the Premedical Honors College at UTPA was established in 1993 as
11 part of a Hispanic Centers of Excellence initiative designed to
12 recruit talented Hispanic students to medicine and to promote
13 diversity in the field; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Nieto, who spends his leisure time coaching
15 Little League, plans to specialize in pediatrics; the son of Roman
16 Nieto, a middle school principal, and Hortencia Nieto, a school
17 district facilitator, and the brother of Roman Nieto, Jr., a
18 previous recipient of this scholarship, Michael Nieto credits his
19 family with inspiring the hard work and perseverance required to
20 achieve his goals; and

21 WHEREAS, This charismatic 18-year-old is undoubtedly a
22 source of pride for his family, his school, and his community, and
23 it is a privilege to honor him at this time for his dedication and
24 commitment to excellence; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
2 Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby congratulate Michael Nieto
3 on the receipt of The University of Texas Pan American-Baylor
4 College of Medicine Pre-Medical Honors College scholarship and
5 extend to him sincere best wishes for all his future endeavors; and,
6 be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for Mr. Nieto as an expression of high regard by the Texas
9 House of Representatives.