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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Dr. Richard R. Moore on the occasion of his retirement from Del Mar College in Corpus Christi in August of 2004 after 40 years of loyal and distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, Since joining Del Mar College in 1964, Dr. Moore has played a significant role in the college's growth and development; he progressed through the academic ranks to become professor of history and to serve as chair of the History Department for 10 years; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his career, Dr. Moore demonstrated his commitment to the mission of the college and carried out his many academic responsibilities with superior judgment and acumen; he actively participated on numerous committees and was elected chairman of the Faculty Council; and

WHEREAS, Professor Moore is well known throughout the community for generously devoting time and energy to civic organizations; he served as both president and vice president of the South Texas Historical Association, as vice president of the Coastal Bend Archeological Committee, and as chairman of the Corpus Christi American Revolution Bicentennial Commission; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Moore has written numerous academic articles and is the author of *West Texas After the Discovery of Oil* and a coauthor of the *History of Nueces County* and *The Heritage of Texas*;

1 and

2 WHEREAS, Dr. Moore is renowned for his professionalism and  
3 his teaching expertise and is highly respected by his colleagues in  
4 the field of education, and his presence at Del Mar College will be  
5 greatly missed; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas,  
7 4th Called Session, hereby commend Dr. Richard R. Moore for his  
8 invaluable contributions to Del Mar College and the educational  
9 system of this state and extend to him best wishes for the future;  
10 and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be prepared for him  
12 as an expression of high regard from the Texas Legislature.