

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 38

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Dr. Carolyn G. Bukhair on the occasion of her retirement in June of 2004 after eight years of outstanding service as superintendent of the Richardson Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, Her retirement culminates a 38-year career in public education, including 29 years in the Richardson Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, On May 20, 2004, a celebration is being held to honor Dr. Bukhair for her many accomplishments and to announce the establishment of the Carolyn G. Bukhair Scholarship Fund to assist future teachers; and

WHEREAS, A talented and highly respected administrator, Dr. Bukhair has consistently demonstrated her ardent commitment to education and to the community; under her leadership, academic requirements became more stringent, and the district prospered from greater community involvement; in 1999 and 2003, Dr. Bukhair was named one of the Top Five Superintendents in the State; and

WHEREAS, Well known for her professionalism and good judgment, Dr. Bukhair set high standards and provided an environment conducive to learning; she has made a positive impact on the lives of her colleagues and thousands of students, and her leadership in the Richardson Independent School District will be greatly missed; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby commend Dr. Carolyn G. Bukhair for her invaluable contributions to the Richardson Independent School District and to the educational system of this state and extend to her best wishes for the retirement years ahead; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Shapiro

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 3, 2004.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate