## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 65

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Clarence Edward Ball III of Boy Scout Troop 500 in Houston for achieving the rank of Eagle Scout; this fine young man joined the elite corps of Eagles recently, and he is being presented the coveted Eagle Badge at a Court of Honor on May 8, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Few achieve this distinguished honor; only two out of every 100 boys in the Boy Scout program attain the rank of Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS, Following the principles of the Scout oath and promise, Clarence advanced through the ranks of Tenderfoot, Second, First, Star, and Life classes before reaching Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS, This personable young man displayed leadership through planning, developing, and conducting a service project that benefited his community; he is truly a shining example to his fellow Scouts and the young people of Texas; and

WHEREAS, By becoming an Eagle Scout, Clarence has brought great honor to himself, his family, his troop, his community, and his state; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, 4th Called Session, hereby commend Clarence Edward Ball III on receiving this prestigious honor and congratulate him on his outstanding achievement; and, be it further

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

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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