By: Lewis H.C.R. No. 108

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Dunbar Middle School student Tiffany Lewis of Fort

2 Worth has been chosen to attend the People to People Student

Ambassador Program's 2003 Leadership Summit at Rollins College in

4 Orlando, Florida, July 17-26, 2003; and

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5 WHEREAS, Based in Spokane, Washington, the People to People

6 Student Ambassador Program was founded by President Dwight D.

7 Eisenhower in 1956; consistent with his vision for fostering

responsible world citizenship, People to People has titled this

year's summit "Creating a Positively Better World"; and

WHEREAS, One of only 250 students chosen from across the country, Ms. Lewis was selected for her scholastic merit, civic involvement, and leadership potential; at the summit, Ms. Lewis will hear such notable speakers as journalist Farai Chideya and activist Danny Seo; furthermore, she will have the opportunity to meet an astronaut at Kennedy Space Center, study ocean wonders at

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Sea World, and learn about endangered species on an eco-cruise; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lewis and other young ambassadors will also take part in small group workshops, discussions, and community

projects while they explore topics concerning cultural and ethnic

diversity and peaceful conflict resolution; then, each student will

be charged with developing an action plan for making a positive

22 contribution to his or her community; and

WHEREAS, An extraordinary young Texan, Ms. Lewis exemplifies the ideals of the People to People program, and she will undoubtedly

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- 1 represent the citizens of the Lone Star State with honor and
- 2 distinction; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas
- 4 hereby congratulate Tiffany Lewis on her selection to the People to
- 5 People Student Ambassador Program's 2003 Summit and extend to her
- 6 warmest best wishes for an enjoyable and rewarding experience; and,
- 7 be it further
- 8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 9 prepared for Ms. Lewis as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 10 House of Representatives and Senate.