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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Toyota Motor Corporation recently announced plans  
2 to build its sixth North American assembly plant in San Antonio, and  
3 on behalf of all the state's citizens, this legislature would like  
4 to say to Toyota, "Tekisasu ni yookoso"--Welcome to Texas; and

5 WHEREAS, Representing an \$800 million investment by Toyota,  
6 the plant will manufacture approximately 150,000 Tundra full-size  
7 trucks annually, beginning in 2006; and

8 WHEREAS, This facility will bring approximately 2,000 new  
9 jobs to the Lone Star State, producing a payroll expected to top \$37  
10 million, and it will indirectly create work for many more Texans;  
11 and

12 WHEREAS, The new plant will mean jobs, paychecks, and a  
13 higher standard of living for thousands of Texans while helping the  
14 state build a stronger, more diversified economy; and

15 WHEREAS, Toyota's Texas initiative represents the beginning  
16 of a new economic boom in our state, for companies looking to  
17 prosper in the 21st century will find no better home than Texas; and

18 WHEREAS, This successful collaboration between the City of  
19 San Antonio, Bexar County, the State of Texas, and Toyota proves  
20 that public-private partnerships can indeed work to create jobs for  
21 Texans; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas  
23 hereby commend the Toyota Motor Corporation for its selection of  
24 San Antonio as the site of its next manufacturing facility, and that

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1 it say "Domo Arigato Gozaimas"--Thank you very much--for the  
2 enormous benefits this plant will confer.