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H.C.R. No. 243

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Edward J. Briscoe Elementary School has been awarded  
2 "exemplary" status by the Texas Education Agency for its overall  
3 excellence in academic achievement; and

4 WHEREAS, This designation establishes the school as one of  
5 the best in Texas and as one that is committed to the exemplary  
6 academic performance of its students; and

7 WHEREAS, Among the demanding criteria that must be met to  
8 attain this status are a minimum of 90 percent of students passing  
9 each section of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS)  
10 examination and a maximum dropout rate of one percent; and

11 WHEREAS, Enhanced academic achievement is the goal of all  
12 schools statewide, and attaining this special designation is truly  
13 a remarkable feat; and

14 WHEREAS, The students and faculty at Edward J. Briscoe  
15 Elementary School have performed admirably in their quest for  
16 academic excellence, and their notable achievements as an  
17 "exemplary" school are indeed worthy of special commendation; now,  
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas  
20 hereby congratulate the students and faculty of Edward J. Briscoe  
21 Elementary School on their school's designation as "exemplary" by  
22 the Texas Education Agency and extend to them sincere best wishes  
23 for continued success; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Edward J. Briscoe Elementary School as an expression  
2 of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives and Senate.