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R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Texans everywhere are indebted to the fine men and
2 women of the law enforcement profession who, by their selfless
3 dedication to the public welfare, have enabled us to enjoy the
4 benefits of a peaceful and orderly society; and
5   WHEREAS, Seldom recognized by the public they so faithfully
6 serve, these gallant individuals willingly risk their lives each
7 day in order to ensure domestic tranquility and to protect the lives
8 and property of others; and
9   WHEREAS, Motor Officer Juan Antonio Morales of the San
10 Antonio Police Department exemplified in his personal and
11 professional conduct the singular virtues of courage, integrity,
12 and unwavering dedication to the duties of his office; and
13   WHEREAS, Throughout his 11 years and nine months on the
14 force, Motor Officer Morales demonstrated meritorious service,
15 loyalty, personal bravery, and self-sacrifice consistent with the
16 highest ideals of the law enforcement profession; and
17   WHEREAS, Motor Officer Morales was killed in the line of duty
18 on December 11, 2001, and his untimely death was a tragic loss to
19 his family, to his fellow peace officers, and to the entire
20 community; and
21   WHEREAS, While Motor Officer Morales is deeply missed, the
22 memory of his heroism will long endure and continue to be a source
23 of inspiration to those who follow in this difficult but essential
24 profession; now, therefore, be it

1   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas

2   Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Motor Officer Juan

3   Antonio Morales of the San Antonio Police Department and extend

4   deepest sympathy to his family, to his friends, and to his fellow

5   peace officers; and, be it further

6   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

7   prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas House

8   of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Motor

9   Officer Juan Antonio Morales.