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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Marta E. Galindo, a first-grade teacher at Ruben 2 Chavira Elementary School in Del Rio, has achieved outstanding 3 success as an educator, and her exceptional efforts in that regard have earned the well-deserved recognition she received when she was 4 5 named 2001-2002 Texas State Teacher of the Year; and WHEREAS, Selected from a pool of six distinguished finalists, 6 Ms. Galindo is the first teacher from San Felipe Del Rio 7 Consolidated Independent School District to be named Texas State 8 Teacher of the Year; she received her accolade and personal 9 congratulations from President George W. Bush at a Washington, 10 D.C., reception given in honor of all 50 state award winners; and 11 12 WHEREAS, Ms. Galindo graduated from Sul Ross State University 13 with two degrees, including a master of education; she has taught at 14 Chavira Elementary School for 19 years and specializes developing reading skills and assisting children with disciplinary 15 difficulties; and 16 WHEREAS, Through her enthusiasm, personal involvement, and 17 18 unwavering commitment to education, Ms. Galindo has motivated her students to learn and excel; she has consistently exemplified the 19 highest ideals of her profession and has ably represented the Lone 20 21 Star State; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas 22 Legislature hereby congratulate Marta E. Galindo on her selection 23

as 2001-2002 Texas Teacher of the Year and extend to her warmest

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- 1 best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for Ms. Galindo as an expression of high regard by the
- 4 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 636 was adopted by the House on May 2, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House