

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The year 2003 marks a momentous occasion in the  
2 lives of James and Ellen Schoggins of Tyler, for on March 6, 2003,  
3 the couple observed their golden wedding anniversary; and

4           WHEREAS, Married on March 6, 1953, in Corpus Christi, Mr.  
5 Schoggins and the former Ellen Bethel have long enjoyed a warm and  
6 rewarding relationship based on a solid foundation of mutual love,  
7 trust, and respect; they take great pride in their close-knit  
8 family, which includes three children, Kenneth, Dennis, and  
9 Kathleen Marie Schoggins, four grandchildren, and two  
10 great-grandchildren; and

11           WHEREAS, Mr. Schoggins retired from N.A.F.A. in Alameda,  
12 California, in 1987, after a career that spanned 37 years; the  
13 couple have made their home in Tyler since moving back to Texas in  
14 1994; and

15           WHEREAS, Together, Mr. and Mrs. Schoggins have shared the  
16 trials and triumphs of half a century; their commitment to each  
17 other is a source of inspiration to their loved ones, and it is  
18 indeed a pleasure to pay tribute to their enduring union; now,  
19 therefore, be it

20           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
21 Legislature hereby congratulate James and Ellen Schoggins on the  
22 joyous occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to  
23 them heartfelt best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it  
24 further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Schoggins as an expression of high regard  
3 by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 753 was adopted by the House on May 2, 2003, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House