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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of Team Texas have been selected to
2 participate in the Special Olympics World Summer Games in Dublin,
3 Ireland, June 21-29, 2003; and

4 WHEREAS, Team Texas is comprised of 59 exceptional young men
5 and women and 13 coaches from across the state; the group will
6 travel to Ireland as part of Team USA to compete in the Special
7 Olympics World Summer Games; and

8 WHEREAS, Participants from the United States will join 7,000
9 athletes, 3,000 coaches, and 28,000 friends and family members from
10 160 delegations in what will be the largest international
11 multisport event in the world in 2003; the Texas delegation will
12 compete in 12 sporting events, ranging from aquatics to table
13 tennis; and

14 WHEREAS, While representing the Lone Star State in the
15 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Team Texas will undoubtedly
16 uphold the Special Olympics time-honored athletic oath, "Let me
17 win. But if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."; and

18 WHEREAS, Throughout its history, Special Olympics has made
19 significant contributions to the physical, social, and
20 psychological development of its participants by providing them
21 with an avenue of success through athletic competition; the members
22 of Team Texas have proven that they possess the ability and resolve
23 to meet difficult challenges and they are truly worthy of special
24 recognition; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate the members of Team Texas for being
3 selected to compete in the Special Olympics World Summer Games and
4 extend to them sincere best wishes for a successful and memorable
5 event.