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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Blanca Enriquez of El Paso has received a great and 2 well-deserved honor with her appointment to the advisory board of 3 the National Institute for Literacy (NIFL); and

WHEREAS, In 2002, Ms. Enriquez was nominated by President Bush to the NIFL advisory board, and she was confirmed as a member of that board on January 29, 2003, by the United States Senate; and

7 WHEREAS, The National Institute for Literacy is a federal 8 organization dedicated to the development of high-quality literacy 9 services so that all Americans can develop essential literacy 10 skills, and the advisory board has the responsibility for guiding 11 the institute toward achieving this important goal; and

12 WHEREAS, An associate executive director at the Region XIX 13 Education Center and director of the region's Head Start program, 14 Ms. Enriquez is an experienced leader committed to serving the 15 educational needs of children, specifically those from low-income 16 families; and

WHEREAS, Among her professional accomplishments, Ms. Enriquez has created an interactive museum that promotes literacy development through exhibits on technology, science, math, history, and the arts; she was recently awarded a grant from the United States Department of Education to establish early childhood centers for excellence; and

23 WHEREAS, Ms. Enriquez has made and will undoubtedly continue 24 to make significant contributions toward providing critical

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1 literacy services to children throughout the country, and it is 2 most appropriate to take this opportunity to recognize her; now, 3 therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate Blanca Enriquez on her appointment
6 to the National Institute for Literacy advisory board and extend to
7 her sincere best wishes for success in all her future endeavors;
8 and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 10 prepared for Ms. Enriquez as an expression of high regard by the 11 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 933 was adopted by the House on May 16, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House