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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, In times of great peril throughout the history of 2 our nation, men and women of the United States military have gone 3 bravely into battle; and

WHEREAS, U.S. Army Chief Warrant Officer Scott Jamar embarked from Fort Stewart, Georgia, in support of our nation's campaign to liberate Iraqi citizens from repression; he was killed in action when the Black Hawk helicopter he was aboard crashed in central Iraq; and

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WHEREAS, The loving father of two sons, this brave soldier graduated from Sweetwater High School in 1989 before joining the military to pursue his dream of becoming a helicopter pilot; he died April 2, 2003, for the hopes and dreams of men and women in his country and so that men and women in a faraway country could also hope and dream; and

WHEREAS, Unflinching bravery and a resolute commitment to fulfill his oath to serve, regardless of the personal consequences, were demonstrated by this valorous American; the State of Texas and the nation now mourn the loss of Scott Jamar, a true hero; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature hereby honor the life of Scott Jamar and extend to his family deepest sympathy: to his sons, Brennan and Kyle; to his parents, Wayne and Jennifer Jamar; to his sister, Elizabeth Jamar; to his brother, Paul; to his grandparents, Odean Jamar and Neva and

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- 1 Dan Hymer; and to his many friends; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas House
- 4 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Chief
- 5 Warrant Officer Scott Jamar.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 976 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 23, 2003.

Chief Clerk of the House