

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, James Richard Pendell of Clint has been appointed by
2 Governor Rick Perry to serve on the Texas School Safety Center
3 Board, and he brings to his post a wealth of experience that will
4 serve the board well as it continues its important work; and

5 WHEREAS, The owner and president of Strickland Foods, Inc.,
6 this outstanding Texan pursued higher education at Texas Tech
7 University, where he attained two bachelor's degrees and a master's
8 degree; Mr. Pendell's long history of informed participation in the
9 field of education includes his service as president of the Clint
10 Independent School District Board of Trustees, as chair of the Far
11 West Texas School Board Association, and as an active member of the
12 Texas Association of School Boards; and

13 WHEREAS, His considerable expertise will be of great benefit
14 to the Texas School Safety Center Board in its oversight of the
15 center, which is a collaborative effort of the criminal justice
16 division of the governor's office and Southwest Texas State
17 University to reduce youth violence and promote safety in Texas
18 schools; and

19 WHEREAS, Mr. Pendell's deep commitment to the vital cause of
20 education will benefit all Texas students as he performs his new
21 duties, and the citizens of the Lone Star State are grateful for his
22 presence on this important body; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
24 Legislature hereby congratulate James Richard Pendell on his

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1 appointment to the Texas School Safety Center Board and extend to
2 him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
4 prepared for Mr. Pendell as an expression of high regard by the
5 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1190 was adopted by the House on May 23, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House