R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Samantha Thomas of Troop 189 in Georgetown, a part
2   of The Red Poppy Service Unit, has earned the highest award a
3   Cadette Girl Scout can achieve, the Girl Scout Silver Award; and
4   WHEREAS, Receiving the Silver Award is a significant honor,
5   one bestowed on only a fraction of those who enter the scouting
6   movement; in the course of meeting the rank's demanding criteria,
7   Ms. Thomas earned a minimum of three interest project patches,
8   received the From Dreams to Reality patch or completed five career
9   activities, and earned the Cadette Girl Scout Leadership Award or
10   Leadership Interest Project patch; and
11   WHEREAS, In addition, she successfully completed a Silver
12   Award project of benefit to her community, which involved
13   organizing and implementing an initiative to distribute 24,000
14   pounds of citrus fruit to needy families in the Georgetown area; and
15   WHEREAS, Under the guidance of troop leaders Lynn Morris and
16   Christy Lange, this fine young woman has demonstrated outstanding
17   initiative and an unwavering commitment to the ideals of the Girl
18   Scout organization, and her efforts have won her the respect and
19   admiration of her peers; and
20   WHEREAS, Her dedication to excellence and her perseverance in
21   the pursuit of her goals have proven Samantha Thomas worthy to stand
22   among scouting's elite, and it is most appropriate that she be
23   honored at this time; now, therefore, be it
24   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas

1 Legislature hereby congratulate Samantha Thomas on earning the Girl

2 Scout Silver Award and extend to her sincere best wishes for the

3 future; and, be it further

4   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

5 prepared for Ms. Thomas as an expression of high regard by the Texas

6 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1465 was adopted by the House on May 28, 2003, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House