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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Rebecca Gonzalez of Pharr has earned the distinction of being valedictorian at Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School, and for achieving this auspicious honor she is truly deserving of special legislative recognition; and

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WHEREAS, Earning the right to call oneself "valedictorian" requires not only intellect and aptitude, but four years of dedication to the highest academic standards; the valedictorian must display a firm understanding of the entire curriculum, from math and science to language arts to social studies, while demonstrating an unwavering commitment to education; and

WHEREAS, The valedictorian serves as a role model and leads by example, combining a steadfast vision of excellence with a tenacious enthusiasm; the competition for this coveted honor is often fierce, although the spirit of the rivalry remains rooted in a tradition of goodwill and the rewards of the countless hours of study and preparation are myriad; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Gonzalez has earned the respect and admiration of her friends and classmates at Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School, and as she embraces a future bright with promise it is most fitting to pay tribute to her for this outstanding accomplishment; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Rebecca Gonzalez on being named the 2003 valedictorian at Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School and wish her

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- 1 well in all her future endeavors; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 3 prepared for Ms. Gonzalez as an expression of high regard by the
- 4 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1642 was adopted by the House on May 30, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House