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H.R. No. 1742

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Jeanne Lavon Everitt has been named Elementary
2 Teacher of the Year for 2002-2003 by the Weslaco Independent School
3 District (ISD), and in light of this accomplishment, she is indeed
4 deserving of special recognition; and

5 WHEREAS, The award acknowledges teachers who are creative and
6 successful with students, have excellent classroom organizational
7 skills, present subject matter in meaningful ways, promote positive
8 learning environments for all students, and work well with
9 colleagues, parents, and the community, and Mrs. Everitt truly
10 meets each of these criteria; and

11 WHEREAS, Inspired to become an educator by a compassionate
12 second-grade teacher, Mrs. Everitt earned a bachelor's degree in
13 elementary education and a master's degree in administration from
14 The University of Texas--Pan American, and began her teaching
15 career in 1972; and

16 WHEREAS, Now, more than three decades later, she teaches
17 fifth-grade math and social studies and is a University
18 Interscholastic League coach; and

19 WHEREAS, Endeavoring to inspire a passion for learning and
20 equip young Texans with the skills and knowledge necessary for
21 success is a most commendable undertaking; during her tenure with
22 Weslaco ISD, Jeanne Lavon Everitt has earned a special place in the
23 hearts of many of her students and the lasting respect and
24 admiration of her colleagues and friends; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Jeanne Lavon Everitt on being named
3 2002-2003 Elementary Teacher of the Year by the Weslaco Independent
4 School District and extend sincere best wishes to her for continued
5 success and happiness; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Mrs. Everitt as an expression of high regard by the
8 Texas House of Representatives.