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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, SFC Ronald Neal Porter has served his nation with  
2           distinction as a member of the United States Army for more than two  
3           decades, and his meritorious service truly merits special  
4           recognition; and

5           WHEREAS, A native of Marietta, Georgia, Sergeant Porter has  
6           demonstrated the hard work, perseverance, and fortitude essential  
7           for success in the military; his efforts allowed him to join the  
8           ranks of an elite Special Forces Airborne unit, the Green Berets,  
9           where he earned the rank of sergeant first class; and

10          WHEREAS, Over the course of his military career, Sergeant  
11          Porter has participated in operations Desert Storm and Iraqi  
12          Freedom and served tours in Italy, Peru, and Colombia; his  
13          stateside service has included assignments at Fort Ord, California;  
14          Fitzsimons Army Medical Center, Colorado; Fort Sam Houston, Texas;  
15          and Fort Bragg, North Carolina; and

16          WHEREAS, This fine specimen of manhood inspires those around  
17          him with his good humor and outstanding attitude; and when not  
18          positively influencing others, he loves to spend his time jumping  
19          out of airplanes; and

20          WHEREAS, Sergeant Porter has demonstrated a strong sense of  
21          duty that reflects a deep commitment to his country and to his  
22          fellow citizens, and his outstanding service is an inspiration to  
23          those who follow in this challenging and vital service; now,  
24          therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas  
2 Legislature hereby pay tribute and offer sincere thanks to Ronald  
3 Neal Porter for the contributions he has made to his country and  
4 extend to him best wishes for future success and happiness; and, be  
5 it further

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