

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 141

In Memory  
of  
Frank Manuppelli

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the loss of Frank Manuppelli, who died January 8, 2003, at the age of 78; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank Manuppelli was born in San Antonio on February 24, 1924; he studied at Hampden-Sydney College in Virginia and at The University of Texas at Austin, and he received his law degree from Saint Mary's University School of Law in 1950; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank was appointed a special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation; he was assigned to the bureau's headquarters in Washington, D.C., and also worked in the field offices in Newark, New Jersey, and in New York City; and

**WHEREAS**, In 1953 Mr. Manuppelli returned to San Antonio and became the director of personnel for the city; a year later he was named general manager of HemisFair and was promoted to executive vice president after two years; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank Manuppelli also served as executive vice president of Ray Ellison Industries, one of San Antonio's largest homebuilders, and as director of the Southwestern Bell Dominion tournament; and

**WHEREAS**, A well-known community leader, Frank was involved in many civic associations and boards; notably, he served as chairman of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, as chairman of the development board of Incarnate Word College, and as chairman of the Fire and Police Civil Service Commission for 22 years; and

**WHEREAS**, Frank was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, and he leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by his family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 78th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Frank Manuppelli: his wife, Laretta; his son, Jeffrey, and his wife, Sara; his daughter, Laura, and her husband, James; his grandchildren, Isabella and Jake; his brothers, Daniel and Mike; his sisters-in-law, Kelly Manuppelli and Elinor Buschell; and his other beloved relatives; and, be it further

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**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the members of his family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Frank Manuppelli.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 11, 2003, by a rising vote.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate