SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 464

In Memory of Joseph Michael Cullinan

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the death of Joseph Michael Cullinan, who died February 2, 2003, at the age of 80; and

WHEREAS, Joe Mike was born in Cleveland, Ohio, and raised and educated in Laredo and San Antonio; he received a bachelor's degree from Texas A&M University in 1949; and

WHEREAS, A true patriot, he served his country as a member of the United States Marine Corps in World War II and in Korea, and he achieved the rank of major; and

WHEREAS, In 1973, Joe Mike entered the real estate business in San Antonio and was active with numerous professional organizations, including the San Antonio Board of Realtors, the Texas Association of Realtors, the Realtors Land Institute, and the American Land Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Joe Mike received numerous accolades for his work as a farm and land broker; he earned the prestigious Lifetime Distinguished Service Award, and he was inducted into the National Association of Realtors and the Omega Tau Rho honorary fraternity in recognition of his leadership and contributions; and

WHEREAS, A man of integrity, strength, and generosity, Joe Mike gave unselfishly to others, and his wisdom, warmth, and valued counsel will not be forgotten by those who knew him; and

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WHEREAS, A devoted father and grandfather, Joe Mike 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 Joseph Michael Cullinan: his wife, Melita K. Cullinan; his sons, Michael, Joe, and John; his daughters, Melita, Ann Michele, and Christina; his grandchildren, Lauren and David, Sean and Carolyn, Heather and Anthony, and Samara, Aimee, Nathan, Sara, and Chris; and his five great-grandchildren; and, be it further

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 Joseph Michael Cullinan.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 27, 2003, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate