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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Carly Bender of Dallas has won the Junior Texas 2 State Grand Twirling Championship for 2005, and she will represent 3 the Lone Star State at the National Baton Twirling Association 4 Championship at the University of Notre Dame in July of this year; 5 and

6 WHEREAS, Miss Bender's unique energy and drive have 7 distinguished her baton-twirling performance in competition and 8 have helped to earn her the titles of Junior Texas State Grand 9 Twirling Champion and Southwest Regional Two Baton Champion; and

10 WHEREAS, A student at Highland Park High School, this 11 talented and vivacious young woman is the daughter of proud parents 12 Carolyn and Gary Bender; in her leisure time, she is actively 13 involved with the Park Cities National Charity League and enjoys 14 acting, swimming, and tennis; and

15 WHEREAS, Miss Bender has demonstrated exemplary dedication 16 in achieving this honor, and through her enthusiasm, grace, and 17 skill, she has proven herself a worthy recipient of the Junior Texas 18 State Grand Twirling Championship; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 20 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate Carly Bender 21 on achieving the title of Junior Texas State Grand Twirling 22 Champion for 2005 and recognize July 20-26, 2005, as National Baton 23 Twirling Week; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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prepared for Miss Bender as an expression of high regard by the
Texas House of Representatives.