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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A half-century of marriage is truly a memorable
2 milestone, and on July 7, 2005, John and Lena Ochsner of Midland
3 observed this significant event in their lives with a family
4 celebration; and

5 WHEREAS, John Dorr Ochsner and his bride, the former Lena
6 Frances Schmidt, were joined in matrimony on July 7, 1955, in a
7 ceremony held in Slaton; the couple take great pride in their
8 close-knit family, which includes their children, John D. Ochsner
9 II, Dr. Robert Ochsner and his wife, Lyn, and Julie K. Ochsner, as
10 well as their grandchildren, Alexandra, Amy, Miles, John, Jennifer,
11 and Kirsten; and

12 WHEREAS, A dedicated homemaker throughout her marriage, Mrs.
13 Ochsner has also played an active role in her church and community
14 as a volunteer since she and her family moved from Dallas to Midland
15 in 1960; Mr. Ochsner is a veteran of the U.S. Army, in which he
16 served as a commissioned officer, and today he is self-employed as a
17 natural gas consultant; like his wife, he has long shared his time
18 and energy to benefit others through his involvement in numerous
19 church and civic endeavors; and

20 WHEREAS, Together, Mr. and Mrs. Ochsner have nurtured a
21 strong bond of love and filled each other's lives with joy, and
22 their enduring union remains an inspiration to all those who hold
23 them dear; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas

1 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby congratulate John and Lena
2 Ochsner on their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them
3 heartfelt best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Ochsner as an expression of high regard by
6 the Texas House of Representatives.