SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 39

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Greater Zion Missionary Baptist Church as it hosts the 134th annual session of the Lincoln District Missionary Baptist Association; and

WHEREAS, Led by its pastor, the Reverend L. David Punch, the Greater Zion Missionary Baptist Church has provided enlightenment, hope, and support to the Houston community, and it is proud to be hosting this prestigious event the week of July 4 through 8, 2005; and

WHEREAS, The Lincoln District Missionary Baptist Association ranks among the oldest in Texas, and members from around the state are attending this inspirational session; and

WHEREAS, Dr. W. W. Jackson, Jr., pastor of Mount Paran Missionary Baptist Church in Texas City, is the moderator of the association; all the members and guests who attend this exceptional session share the goals of this admirable organization; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby commend the Greater Zion Missionary Baptist Church on the occasion of the 134th annual session of the Lincoln District Missionary Baptist Association; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the session attendees as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Ellis

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on June 30, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate