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H.R. No. 199

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, After 20 years of exemplary service, Ronnie Urbantke
2 is stepping down from his position as superintendent of the Riesel
3 Independent School District in May 2006; and

4 WHEREAS, A native of Riesel, Mr. Urbantke graduated from
5 Baylor University and taught in Kerens and Forney before returning
6 to his hometown with his wife, Janette; and

7 WHEREAS, Under his leadership, Riesel ISD has seen
8 unprecedented growth, including facilities upgrades and the
9 construction of a new elementary school, track, and high school
10 gymnasium; and

11 WHEREAS, Ronnie Urbantke has served the needs of our state's
12 youth for nearly 38 years as an educator and administrator;
13 retirement will mark a new chapter in his life, and it provides a
14 fitting opportunity to recognize this esteemed Texan for his
15 notable contributions and achievements; now, therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
17 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby commend Ronnie Urbantke for
18 his exceptional tenure as superintendent at Riesel ISD and extend
19 to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

20 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
21 prepared for Mr. Urbantke as an expression of high regard by the
22 Texas House of Representatives.