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H.R. No. 118

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Imagene and O. Doyle Butler of Midland celebrated  
2 their golden wedding anniversary on January 25, 2006, marking a  
3 milestone in their long and happy union; and

4           WHEREAS, United in matrimony in Stillwater, Oklahoma, in  
5 1956, the Butlers have since enjoyed a loving marriage that has been  
6 blessed with a son, Kevin Butler; they resided in Sumatra,  
7 Indonesia, and several communities throughout West Texas and  
8 eastern New Mexico before settling in Midland in 1965; and

9           WHEREAS, Throughout their five decades together, the Butlers  
10 have enjoyed busy lives; Mr. Butler worked for Texaco and Adobe Oil  
11 as an engineer before cofounding the consulting firm of Nichols,  
12 Butler & Associates and later forming his own company, Blackrock  
13 Oil Co.; he currently works as an independent petroleum engineer  
14 and is a proud member of the 45th Infantry Division Association,  
15 Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, the Korean War  
16 Veterans Association, the Society of Petroleum Engineers, the  
17 Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association, and the National Rifle  
18 Association; and

19           WHEREAS, Mrs. Butler distinguished herself as an elementary  
20 school teacher for 32 years, 26 of those with the Midland  
21 Independent School District; she is a valued member of the Texas  
22 Congress of Parents and Teachers, the Texas Retired Teachers  
23 Association, and the Daughters of the American Revolution, and both  
24 she and her husband enjoy membership with the Oklahoma State

1 University Alumni Association, the Chap Athletic Club at Midland  
2 College, and First United Methodist Church; and

3 WHEREAS, For 50 years, O. Doyle and Imagene Butler have  
4 shared life's trials and triumphs hand in hand, and their lasting  
5 union offers eloquent testimony to the meaning of love and  
6 commitment; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
8 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Imagene and O.  
9 Doyle Butler on their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them  
10 sincere best wishes for continued happiness together; and, be it  
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
13 prepared for the Butlers as an expression of high regard by the  
14 Texas House of Representatives.