

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The untimely passing of Leticia Rivera of San  
2 Antonio on April 16, 2006, at the age of 51, has brought a  
3 profoundly felt loss to the family members and many friends of this  
4 cherished wife and mother; and

5           WHEREAS, Born to Oscar and Emma Rendon in Eagle Pass on August  
6 2, 1954, Mrs. Rivera was an educator and administrator with the  
7 Harlandale Independent School District for two decades; and

8           WHEREAS, Her notable tenure with the district began in 1986;  
9 she was a teacher with Rayburn Elementary and then principal of the  
10 Wietzel Center; she accepted principal responsibilities of Scheh  
11 Elementary School in 1996 and ably served the campus until the time  
12 of her passing; under her leadership, the school earned Recognized  
13 status for four consecutive years; and

14           WHEREAS, Mrs. Rivera served her professional and civic  
15 communities as a member of a number of organizations, and in  
16 recognition of her achievements, she was named Region 20 Principal  
17 of the Year for the 2004-2005 school year and selected as the grand  
18 marshal for the Harlandale Cultural Arts Parade in 2004; and

19           WHEREAS, Those who knew Leticia Rivera will long remember her  
20 endless love of her family, her students, and her community;  
21 although her time on earth was far too short, the legacy she leaves  
22 behind will long endure in the hearts of the countless individuals  
23 whose lives she touched; now, therefore, be it

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

1 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of  
2 Leticia Rivera and extend deepest sympathy to the members of her  
3 family: to her husband of 25 years, Joe Rivera; to her daughter,  
4 Leticia Jo Rivera; to her son, Joe Rivera, Jr.; to her mother, Emma  
5 Rendon; to her sister, Aracely R. Moncada and her husband, George;  
6 to her brothers, Alejandro Rendon and his wife, Estela, Oscar  
7 Rendon and his wife, Edna, Hector Rendon and his wife, Norma, and  
8 Rolando Rendon and his wife, Doris; and to her other relatives and  
9 friends; and, be it further

10         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
11 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of  
12 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Leticia  
13 Rivera.

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H.R. No. 243

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 243 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 4, 2006.

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Chief Clerk of the House