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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, U.S. Army Staff Sergeant Elvis Rubio has rendered
valiant service in Iraq as a member of the United States Army; and

3 WHEREAS, A 1997 graduate of Alice High School, Staff Sergeant 4 Rubio joined the military soon after earning his diploma; he served 5 his first tour of duty in Iraq from February 2003 to March 2004, and 6 he has returned for a second tour of duty in 2006; and

7 WHEREAS, This dedicated army medic was most recently 8 stationed in Fort Hood, where he received further training in 9 preparation for his latest assignment; and

10 WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant Rubio is blessed with a loving 11 family; he and his wife, Brandi, are the parents of a cherished 12 daughter, Angelina Veronica, and Mr. Rubio is the son of proud 13 parents Fela and Joe Rubio; and

14 WHEREAS, Americans owe a profound debt of gratitude to Staff 15 Sergeant Rubio and to all the country's military personnel, for 16 they are called on in wartime to bear unimaginable burdens, and they 17 render service and sacrifice that are truly beyond measure; and

WHEREAS, Through his steadfast devotion to duty, honor, and this nation, Staff Sergeant Rubio embodies the highest ideals of the U.S. armed forces, and he carries with him the heartfelt best wishes of his fellow Texans for a safe and speedy return; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby honor U.S. Army Staff

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Sergeant Elvis Rubio and commend him for his courageous service in
Iraq; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Staff Sergeant Rubio as an expression of high regard by

5 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 326 was adopted by the House on May 10, 2006, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House