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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, June 3, 2006, will indeed be a special day for John
2 Kenneth Arnold and Michelle Galindo Cruz, for on that day they will
3 exchange their wedding vows in Zihuatanejo, Mexico, and embark on a
4 new life together as husband and wife; and
5 WHEREAS, The impending nuptials of Ms. Cruz and Mr. Arnold

WHEREAS, The impending nuptials of Ms. Cruz and Mr. Arnold have brought great joy to their parents as well as to the other members of their close-knit family and circle of friends; and

WHEREAS, The daughter of George and Sylvia Cruz, the bride received a bachelor of science in communication studies from The University of Texas at Austin and has also earned a master of public administration degree from Texas State University and a Ph.D. in educational policy and planning from The University of Texas at Austin; she has held a distinguished tenure with State Representative Aaron Pena, serving as his chief of staff, and worked as a legislative aide to Representatives Rene Oliveira and Joe Deshotel; currently, she represents the Texas Education Agency as a legislative liaison to the Texas House of Representatives; and WHEREAS, Mr. Arnold, the son of Victor and Nancy Arnold, received a bachelor's degree in Latin American studies and

WHEREAS, Mr. Arnold, the son of Victor and Nancy Arnold, received a bachelor's degree in Latin American studies and political science from Trinity University and a J.D. from Dedman School of Law at Southern Methodist University; after completing a judicial clerkship at the Texas Supreme Court, he joined the Austin

office of the Locke Liddell & Sapp law firm; and

WHEREAS, The wedding of Ms. Cruz and Mr. Arnold will mark a

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- 1 profound deepening of a relationship that has grown in love,
- 2 respect, and mutual regard with each passing day; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Representative Pena has justly recognized this
- 4 devoted couple by authoring this resolution in their behalf during
- 5 the 3rd Called Session of the 79th Legislature; now, therefore, be
- 6 it
- 7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 8 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate John Kenneth
- 9 Arnold and Michelle Galindo Cruz on the joyous occasion of their
- 10 wedding and extend to them warmest best wishes for a lifetime of
- 11 happiness; and, be it further
- 12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 13 prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 14 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 453 was adopted by the House on May 12, 2006, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House