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H.R. No. 593

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The naming of the Harry S. Brown Middle School in the
2 El Paso Independent School District is a fitting tribute to Hut
3 Brown, who has benefited the district as an educator,
4 administrator, and volunteer for more than 50 years; and

5 WHEREAS, A graduate of Texas Christian University and The
6 University of Texas at El Paso, Mr. Brown joined EPISD in 1952 as a
7 teacher and coach at El Paso High; through the years, he
8 distinguished himself as assistant principal of Bassett Middle
9 School and assistant principal and then principal of Andress High
10 School; in 1981, he was appointed associate superintendent of the
11 Northeast Area of EPISD, and he served in that position for nearly a
12 decade; since his retirement in 1990, Mr. Brown has continued to
13 volunteer and tutor with EPISD at Beall Elementary; and

14 WHEREAS, In addition to working in education, Mr. Brown has
15 made invaluable contributions to the vitality of his community and
16 state through a host of other worthy endeavors; a member of the
17 Texas National Guard for 14 years and a certified master peace
18 officer, he served as a reserve deputy for the El Paso County
19 Sheriff's Department for more than four decades, including 30 years
20 as commander of the reserve force; he has also lent his time and
21 talents as director of the Southwest International Livestock Show
22 and Rodeo, El Paso Crime Stoppers, and the El Paso County Historical
23 Commission; named the Texas Administrator of the Year by Texas
24 School Librarians, he has chaired a scholarship committee and been

1 inducted into the El Paso Athletic Hall of Fame; and

2 WHEREAS, With construction of the new school, which is
3 scheduled to open in February 2007 to some 1,200 students, the El
4 Paso ISD has ensured a lasting tribute to this esteemed educator,
5 who has had such a profound impact on so many residents of El Paso
6 over the past half-century; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
8 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Hut Brown on
9 the naming of the Harry S. Brown Middle School in his honor and
10 commend him on his years of dedicated service to the El Paso
11 Independent School District; and, be it further

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