

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the heartache felt  
2 at the loss of U.S. Army Sergeant Johnny Joe Peralez, Jr., of  
3 Falfurrias, who died in Iraq on January 5, 2006, at the age of 25;  
4 and

5           WHEREAS, Sergeant Peralez served as a combat medic with the  
6 3rd Battalion, 16th Field Artillery, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th  
7 Infantry Division; since joining the military in 1999, he had  
8 served tours in Kosovo, Afghanistan, and Iraq; and

9           WHEREAS, Born and reared in the Lone Star State, Sergeant  
10 Peralez graduated from Falfurrias High School, where he was a  
11 member of the Fightin' Jersey boys' tennis squad and participated in  
12 the band, student council, and one-act plays; and

13           WHEREAS, A man who gave his best effort to everything he cared  
14 about, this courageous Texan performed his dangerous mission with  
15 dedication and professionalism; his unfaltering devotion to duty,  
16 honor, and his country reflected the highest ideals of the armed  
17 forces, and his fellow citizens owe him a debt of gratitude that the  
18 passage of time can never diminish; now, therefore, be it

19           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
20 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby pay special tribute to the  
21 life of Sergeant Johnny Joe Peralez, Jr., and extend sincere  
22 sympathy to the members of his family: to his mother, Virginia  
23 Garcia; to his father, Johnny J. Peralez, Sr.; to his grandmother,  
24 Carmen Arellano; to his sister, Nina Kristine Peralez; to his

1 brothers, Romeo Villa and Jessie Rene Peralez; to his grandparents,  
2 Pedro Vasquez and Joe and Tomasa Peralez; to his girlfriend, Luisa  
3 Reyes; and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be it  
4 further

5         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
6 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of  
7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Sergeant  
8 Johnny Joe Peralez, Jr.

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Craddick	Giddings	McReynolds
Allen	Gonzales	Menendez
Alonzo	Gonzalez Toureilles	Merritt
Anchia	Goodman	Miller
Anderson	Goolsby	Moreno
Bailey	Griggs	Morrison
Berman	Grusendorf	Mowery
Blake	Guillen	Naishtat
Bohac	Haggerty	Nixon
Bonnen	Hamilton	Noriega
Branch	Hamric	Oliveira
Brown of Kaufman	Hardcastle	Olivo
Brown of Brazos	Harper-Brown	Orr
Burnam	Hartnett	Otto
Callegari	Hegar	Paxton
Campbell	Hernandez	Pena
Casteel	Herrero	Phillips
Castro	Hilderbran	Pickett
Chavez	Hill	Pitts
Chisum	Hochberg	Puente
Coleman	Hodge	Quintanilla
Cook of Navarro	Homer	Raymond
Cook of Colorado	Hope	Reyna
Corte	Hopson	Riddle
Crabb	Howard of Fort Bend	Ritter
Crownover	Howard of Travis	Rodriguez
Davis of Harris	Hughes	Rose
Davis of Dallas	Hunter	Seaman
Dawson	Hupp	Smith of Tarrant
Delisi	Isett	Smith of Harris
Denny	Jackson	Smithee
Deshotel	Jones of Lubbock	Solis
Driver	Jones of Dallas	Solomons
Dukes	Keel	Strama
Dunnam	Keffer of Dallas	Straus
Dutton	Keffer of Eastland	Swinford
Edwards	King of Parker	Talton
Eiland	King of Zavala	Taylor
Eissler	Kolkhorst	Thompson
Elkins	Krusee	Truitt
England	Kuempel	Turner
Escobar	Laney	Uresti
Farabee	Laubenberg	Van Arsdale
Farrar	Leibowitz	Veasey
Flores	Luna	Villarreal
Flynn	Madden	Vo
Frost	Martinez	West
Gallego	Martinez Fischer	Wong
Gattis	McCall	Woolley
Geren	McClendon	Zedler

H.R. No. 594

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 594 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 15, 2006.

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Chief Clerk of the House