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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The University of Texas at Austin's women's indoor

2 track and field team captured the 2006 NCAA Indoor Track and Field

Championships at the Randal Tyson Track Center on the campus of the

4 University of Arkansas; and

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5 WHEREAS, Led by head coach Bev Kearney, the Longhorns

dominated the two-day event, scoring 51 points to outpace Stanford

University's total of 36; the victory was Coach Kearney's sixth NCAA

8 team title at Texas and her seventh overall collegiate title; and

9 WHEREAS, The Longhorns received outstanding effort from each

team member, with notable performances from juniors Marshevet

Hooker and Michelle Carter and the 4x400-meter relay team composed

12 of senior Sheretta Jones, freshman Alexandria Anderson, senior

13 LaTashia Kerr, and senior Melaine Walker; and

14 WHEREAS, With the 2006 championship title in hand, the

15 UT-Austin women's track and field team now holds back-to-back NCAA

16 track championships, and this impressive achievement is testament

17 to the talent, hard work, and dedication of the team and its

18 coaching staff; now, therefore, be it

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

Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Coach Bev

Kearney and The University of Texas at Austin women's indoor track

22 and field squad on claiming the NCAA Indoor Track and Field

23 Championships and extend best wishes to the team for continued

24 success; and, be it further

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- 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 2 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 3 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 609 was adopted by the House on May 15, 2006, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House