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H.R. No. 776

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Julio Devora of El Paso has been named the  
2 salutorian of the 2006 graduating class at Cathedral High School;  
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4           WHEREAS, Earning the right to call oneself salutorian  
5 requires not only intellect and aptitude, but also four years of  
6 dedication to the highest academic standards; he must display a  
7 firm understanding of the entire curriculum, from math and science  
8 to language arts and social studies, while demonstrating an  
9 unwavering commitment to educational excellence; and

10           WHEREAS, Such an exemplary young person serves as a role  
11 model and leads by example; the competition for this coveted honor  
12 is often fierce, although the spirit of the rivalry remains rooted  
13 in a tradition of goodwill, and the rewards of the countless hours  
14 of study and preparation are myriad; and

15           WHEREAS, Mr. Devora was a four-year football player, earning  
16 the most valuable player accolade in his junior year, as well as a  
17 four-year member of the track team; he belonged to the National  
18 Honor Society and was a Lasallian Youth community service member;  
19 Mr. Devora will attend the Massachusetts Institute of Technology,  
20 where he will undoubtedly continue on his path to a rewarding  
21 future; and

22           WHEREAS, Mr. Devora has earned the respect and admiration of  
23 his friends and classmates at Cathedral High School, and as he  
24 embraces a future bright with promise, it is most fitting that he be

1 commended for his exceptional achievements; now, therefore, be it

2           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
3 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Julio Devora  
4 on being named the 2006 salutatorian at Cathedral High School in  
5 El Paso and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success  
6 in all his endeavors; and, be it further

7           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
8 prepared for Mr. Devora as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
9 House of Representatives.