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H.C.R. No. 76

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Tyler Willis of Brownfield was crowned Miss Texas
2 USA and named Miss Congeniality in June 2004, and she will
3 undoubtedly represent her fellow citizens with dignity and grace in
4 the Miss USA pageant on April 11, 2005, in Baltimore; and

5 WHEREAS, Selected from a group of lovely and talented
6 contestants, Ms. Willis was crowned Miss Texas not only for her
7 beauty but also for her commitment to the youth of her community; in
8 2002, she and her mother, a school counselor, launched a character
9 development program for the children of the Brownfield school
10 district to "develop the leader within"; the program consists of
11 assemblies and classroom instruction in four basic areas:
12 self-esteem, goal-setting, responsibility, and truth/integrity;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, In addition to working with children, Ms. Willis
15 earned her bachelor's and master's degrees from Texas Tech
16 University; she regularly speaks at special events and volunteers
17 for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation; furthermore, she
18 has also served as spokesperson for Women's Protective Services;
19 and

20 WHEREAS, A worthy role model for all young Texans, Tyler
21 Willis serves as an outstanding goodwill ambassador for the Lone
22 Star State, and she may look forward to a future bright with
23 promise; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the 79th Legislature of the State of Texas

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1 hereby congratulate Tyler Willis on being named Miss Texas USA and
2 extend to her sincere best wishes for success in the Miss USA 2005
3 pageant and in all her future endeavors; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for Ms. Willis as an expression of high regard by the Texas
6 House of Representatives and Senate.