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H.R. No. 315

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The passing of Bill Golden has greatly saddened all
2 those who knew him, and we join his family and his many friends in
3 mourning their loss; and

4 WHEREAS, A graduate of Sanderson High School, Mr. Golden
5 earned both his undergraduate degree and his M.B.A. from Sul Ross
6 University, and he also served in the U.S. Navy as a communications
7 technician; and

8 WHEREAS, His talents in the field of telecommunications were
9 put to good use in his civilian career with Big Bend Telephone
10 Company, and he received the Texas Telephone Association's award
11 for outstanding achievement in 1988 and served as president of the
12 Texas Statewide Telephone Cooperative Association on two separate
13 occasions; and

14 WHEREAS, Throughout the years, Mr. Golden drew joy and
15 inspiration from his relationship with his wife, Robie Golden, and
16 their daughter, Traci, and from his fellow worshipers at Our Lady of
17 Peace Catholic Church, where he served as parish council president
18 for a number of years; and

19 WHEREAS, A vital and valued member of the community, Mr.
20 Golden's counsel was often sought by his professional peers, and he
21 served as a director for both First National Bank and West Texas
22 National Bank; and

23 WHEREAS, Although no words can assuage the sadness caused by
24 the passing of a good friend, husband, and father, those who loved

1 Bill Golden may take comfort in his lasting legacy of a life well
2 lived; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
4 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Bill Golden and extend
5 sincere sympathy to his family: to his wife, Robie Golden; to his
6 daughter, Traci, and her husband, Alonso Adame; to his mother, Ruby
7 Golden; and to his siblings, Shirley Townsend and Sammy Golden;
8 and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
10 prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas House
11 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Bill
12 Golden.