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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A golden wedding anniversary is truly cause for 2 rejoicing, and Edward and Jane Wooten of Midland marked this 3 significant milestone in their long and happy union on November 15, 4 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Edward Wooten and the former Jane Decker were 6 married on November 15, 1953, in Midland; and

7 WHEREAS, Over the past five decades, their close-knit family 8 circle has grown to include four children, Connie McClellan, Robin 9 Oliver, Kimberly Herring, and Steven Wooten, as well as nine 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; and

11 WHEREAS, This devoted couple continue to be actively engaged 12 in their work, Mr. Wooten as a painter and carpenter and Mrs. Wooten 13 in day care; respected citizens in their community, they are both 14 members of the Baptist church; and

WHEREAS, The Wootens celebrated their golden anniversary with a reception at the Hilton Midland and Towers; their enduring marriage remains a source of joy and inspiration to the friends and family with whom they have shared the richness of their lives, and they are indeed deserving of warmest congratulations; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Edward and Jane Wooten on their Soth wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

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