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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Texas is widely known for its musical talent, and  
2 Heriberto "Herbie" Lopez is an accomplished heir to this proud  
3 tradition; and

4           WHEREAS, A resident of Weslaco, Mr. Lopez plays accordion  
5 with the popular band El Conjunto Bernal, and his artistry on this  
6 venerable instrument has won the admiration of music lovers from  
7 every walk of life; and

8           WHEREAS, The high esteem in which he is held by his fellow  
9 musicians was most recently expressed in his selection as a member  
10 of the Tejano R.O.O.T.S. Hall of Fame Class of 2004 Million Dollar  
11 Band, and his presence greatly enhances this all-star lineup of  
12 outstanding entertainers; and

13           WHEREAS, The Tejano R.O.O.T.S. Hall of Fame was organized to  
14 honor the pioneers and legends of Tejano music, to preserve the  
15 Tejano musical heritage, and, through its museum in Alice, to  
16 provide a central location for compiling the stories and  
17 memorabilia associated with Tejano musicians; and

18           WHEREAS, Those gifted individuals who dedicate their lives to  
19 music are an indispensable asset to the Lone Star State and are  
20 truly deserving of the respect and gratitude of their fellow  
21 Texans; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Heriberto "Herbie" Lopez on being  
24 named a member of the Tejano R.O.O.T.S. Hall of Fame Class of 2004

1 Million Dollar Band and extend to him sincere best wishes for  
2 continued success; and, be it further

3           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Mr. Lopez as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
5 House of Representatives.