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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Kelly Jordan of Mineola won the 2005 Wal-Mart FLW
- 2 Tour bass tournament season opener held on Lake Okeechobee,
- 3 Florida, in January; and
- 4 WHEREAS, In addition to earning the respect of his fellow
- 5 anglers, this three-time Bassmaster Tour winner and Bassmaster
- 6 Classic qualifier was awarded \$100,000 for his impressive showing,
- 7 the first winner's check of the tour's 10th anniversary season; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Amidst inclement weather and less than ideal fishing
- 9 conditions, Mr. Jordan entered the tournament strongly; ranked
- 10 sixth out of the 10 remaining contestants on the last day of
- 11 fishing, and with only two hours left before the final weigh-in, he
- 12 targeted a floating bog covered in cattails, and while the spot
- proved a chore to maneuver, his risk paid off handsomely: in only 30
- 14 minutes, he had hooked four bass, with the collective weight of 23
- 15 pounds, pushing his two-day weight to a winning 30 pounds, 13
- 16 ounces; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Winning a bass tournament is an exciting
- 18 accomplishment and one in which this notable Texan may take great
- 19 pride; now, therefore, be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 21 Legislature hereby congratulate Kelly Jordan on winning the
- 22 Wal-Mart FLW Tour season opener and extend to him sincere best
- wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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- 1 $\,\,$ prepared for Mr. Jordan as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 2 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 634 was adopted by the House on March 17, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House