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H.R. No. 644

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Firefighter Kevin Kulow of Sealy died in the line of
2 duty on April 4, 2004, at the age of 32, and the tragic passing of
3 this heroic Texan deeply saddened the communities he served and all
4 who were privileged to know him; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Kulow exemplified, in his personal and
6 professional conduct, the singular virtues of courage, integrity,
7 and unwavering dedication; and

8 WHEREAS, A loving son, husband, and father, he dreamed of
9 becoming a firefighter as a young boy; he worked as a junior
10 firefighter while in high school and later served 12 years with the
11 Sealy Volunteer Fire Department; in 2003, he graduated from the Val
12 Jahnke training facility and joined the Houston Fire Department;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, Throughout his career, Kevin Kulow established a
15 record of meritorious action that is consistent with the highest
16 ideals of the fire-fighting profession; he was a passionate
17 defender of life and property, and although he is deeply missed, the
18 legacy of selflessness and bravery that he leaves behind will not
19 soon be forgotten; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
21 Legislature hereby pay special tribute to the life of Kevin Kulow
22 and extend deepest sympathy to the members of his family: to his
23 wife, Marla; to his stepson, Justin Reynolds and son, Kyle; to his
24 parents, Daniel and Elaine Kulow; and to all those who mourn the

1 passing of this beloved gentleman; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
3 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
4 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Kevin
5 Kulow.