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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Candice Johnson has distinguished herself as a 2 public-spirited and intelligent young woman, and her many successes 3 and commitment to serving others make her a role model for her 4 fellow Texans; and

WHEREAS, Graduating third in her class from James Madison Senior High School in Houston in 2002, Ms. Johnson is currently pursuing a bachelor's degree in corporate communications with a minor in business administration at The University of Texas at Austin; a recipient of the Mary Jones Houston Endowment Scholarship, Longhorn Opportunity Scholarship, and College of Communication Presidential Scholarship, she has earned honors each semester of her college career; and

WHEREAS, This admirable Texan is also highly involved with her sorority, Alpha Kappa Alpha, and has served in a variety of its offices, including Ivy Academy chair and historian; she reigned as Miss Black University of Texas for 2003-2004 and is a member of the National Society for Collegiate Scholars, the Texas Exes Student Chapter, the Innervisions Gospel Choir, and the African American Culture Committee; moreover, she has served the collegiate community as a recruiter, a Texas Angel, and as a Longhorn Scholars mentor; and

WHEREAS, Despite her many academic and extracurricular responsibilities, Ms. Johnson has repeatedly given of her time and talents to help others; whether working as a counselor and mentor at

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- 1 the Teen Success Leadership Camp or volunteering with the American
- 2 Red Cross, the American Cancer Society, Meals on Wheels, the
- 3 Capital Area Food Bank, or the Reading is Fundamental Program, she
- 4 has made a positive difference in the lives of countless
- 5 individuals; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Candice Johnson has accomplished much in her young
- 7 life thus far, and she may reflect with pride on her achievements
- 8 and look with optimism and anticipation toward a bright and
- 9 promising future; now, therefore, be it
- 10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
- 11 Legislature hereby congratulate Candice Johnson for her
- 12 outstanding academic and extracurricular achievements and extend
- 13 to her sincere best wishes for continued success in all her
- 14 endeavors; and, be it further
- 15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 16 prepared for Ms. Johnson as an expression of high regard by the
- 17 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 744 was adopted by the House on March 31, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House