R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Memories of a life well lived may comfort the family
2   and friends of Bill J. Immel of Kerrville, who died on March 20,
3   2005, at the age of 76; and

4   WHEREAS, A native Texan, Mr. Immel was born on October 25,
5   1928, in Kress, to proud parents Joseph and Addie Immel; shortly
6   after his arrival, his parents bought a ranch near Higgins, and he
7   grew up in the wide open space of Texas ranchland in the company of
8   his four siblings; and

9   WHEREAS, Mr. Immel attended Wayland Baptist University,
10 received both bachelor's and master's degrees from West Texas State
11 University, and enrolled at the University of Chicago for
12 postgraduate studies; and

13   WHEREAS, Over the course of a career dedicated to the
14 education of Texas children, he taught math in Panhandle, served as
15 principal of Pearsall High School and Uvalde High School, and was an
16 assistant principal in Kerrville; and

17   WHEREAS, In addition to his notable contributions as a
18 teacher and administrator, Mr. Immel was an ordained deacon with
19 Trinity Baptist Church and a member of the Kerrville Rotary Club;
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21   WHEREAS, Bill Immel touched the lives of countless
22 individuals during his lifetime, and he will long be remembered
23 with special fondness by his former students and with love and
24 affection by his wide circle of family and good friends; now,

1 therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas

3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Bill J. Immel and

4 extend sincere sympathy to his wife, Carolyn Immel; to his

5 daughter, Deanne Immel; and to his other relatives and many

6 friends; and, be it further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

8 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of

9 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Bill J.

10 Immel.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1029 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on April 22, 2005.

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Chief Clerk of the House