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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Clarence and Dorothy Scharbauer of Pilot Point have
2 enjoyed notable success with two of their stallions, which have
3 topped the Texas Thoroughbred Association's 2004 list of leading
4 Thoroughbred sires in Texas; and

5 WHEREAS, Magic Cat, the leading freshman sire, and Gold
6 Regent, the leading second-crop sire, have produced offspring that
7 have earned an extraordinary total of nearly \$1 million in
8 competition awards; and

9 WHEREAS, The Scharbauers have raised these fine steeds at
10 Valor Farm, a nearly 400-acre facility where, for decades, the
11 couple have nurtured a love of horse breeding and racing; and

12 WHEREAS, Mrs. Scharbauer's father, Fred Turner, Jr., first
13 inspired the family's interest when he won the Kentucky Derby in
14 1959; his daughter carried on the tradition, racing Alysheba, a
15 hall of fame race horse who at the time of his retirement was the
16 leading money earner in the history of the sport; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. Sharbauer is a former president of the American
18 Quarter Horse Association and a member of that breed's hall of fame;
19 and

20 WHEREAS, Clarence and Dorothy Scharbauer can be justly proud
21 of the outstanding record they have compiled with these exceptional
22 stallions, and it is indeed a pleasure to honor them at this time;
23 now, therefore, be it

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

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate Clarence and Dorothy Scharbauer on
2 producing two of the leading Texas stallions of 2004 and extend to
3 them sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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