

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Afamia El-Nakat of El Paso completed her doctorate
2 in environmental science and engineering at The University of Texas
3 at El Paso, and is employed as an environmental engineer with CH2M,
4 an international environmental services consulting firm; and

5 WHEREAS, Her research is concentrated on sustainable water
6 resource management, the economic impact of water distribution and
7 allocation, and bridging the gap between scientific knowledge and
8 its application to environmentally sound public policy; and

9 WHEREAS, This exceptional professional takes an active role
10 with the Desert Mountain Chapter of the American Water Works
11 Association; already fluent in English and Arabic, she is working
12 on becoming trilingual and is learning Spanish; and

13 WHEREAS, Afamia El-Nakat demonstrates an unwavering
14 dedication to bettering the lives of the individuals in her
15 community and beyond, and it is most appropriate that she be
16 recognized at this time; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
18 Legislature hereby commend Afamia El-Nakat for her commitment to
19 environmental services and extend to her sincere best wishes for
20 success and fulfillment in the future; and, be it further

21 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
22 prepared for Ms. El-Nakat as an expression of high regard by the
23 Texas House of Representatives.

Chavez

H.R. No. 1085

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1085 was adopted by the House on April 22, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House