

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The year 2005 marks the 75th anniversary of the
2 Texas Alliance of Energy Producers, and this important occasion
3 indeed merits special recognition; and

4 WHEREAS, Founded in 1930 as the North Texas Oil and Gas
5 Association, the organization was conceived by a group of about 50
6 independent oil producers to protest a drastic price cut in crude
7 oil; three years later, the West Central Texas Oil and Gas
8 Association was formed to better serve that region of the state; and

9 WHEREAS, The Texas Alliance of Energy Producers was created
10 in 2000 when the two groups merged, and today the alliance is one of
11 the largest oil and gas trade associations in the country, boasting
12 five offices and more than 2,500 members; and

13 WHEREAS, Since its inception, the Texas Alliance of Energy
14 Producers has worked to represent the needs of this essential
15 industry and to educate the public about the importance of the oil
16 and gas industry to our state and nation, and it is appropriate to
17 take this opportunity to congratulate its members as they celebrate
18 75 years of rich history; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
20 Legislature hereby congratulate all those associated with the Texas
21 Alliance of Energy Producers on its 75th anniversary and extend to
22 them sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the

H.R. No. 1171

1 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1171 was adopted by the House on April 18, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House