

By: Frost

H.R. No. 1378

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Becky Pierce of Texarkana has been selected the  
2 Texas Nursing Student of the Year by the Texas Nursing Students'  
3 Association, and her impressive accomplishment is indeed worthy of  
4 special commendation; and

5           WHEREAS, Among the criteria considered for this prestigious  
6 accolade were Mrs. Pierce's notable efforts as co-chair of the  
7 Image of Nursing Committee; she has also served her peers as a  
8 member of the regional board for Texas nursing students; and

9           WHEREAS, This outstanding student has been recognized with a  
10 Spirit of Nursing award from Texarkana College, named to *Who's Who*  
11 *Among American Junior College Students*, and inducted into Phi Theta  
12 Kappa; and

13           WHEREAS, A 1982 graduate of the William Buchanan School of  
14 Nursing Vocational Nursing Program, Mrs. Pierce worked as an LVN  
15 for a number of years before her children were born; she returned to  
16 school and will graduate this year with an associate degree in  
17 nursing; and

18           WHEREAS, She also volunteers for a number of projects,  
19 including community health fairs, voter registration events, and  
20 food and diaper drives, and her previous efforts have involved  
21 teaching Sunday school, providing meals at a homeless shelter,  
22 participating in the Race for the Cure, and working on a church  
23 mission trip; and

24           WHEREAS, Becky Pierce is an exceptional role model for all

1 who have the privilege of knowing her, and it is a distinct pleasure  
2 to join in honoring her for her recent achievement; now, therefore,  
3 be it

4         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
5 Legislature hereby congratulate Becky Pierce on being named the  
6 Texas Nursing Student of the Year by the Texas Nursing Students'  
7 Association and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued  
8 achievement and fulfillment; and, be it further

9         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
10 prepared for Mrs. Pierce as an expression of high regard by the  
11 Texas House of Representatives.