

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, William T. Solomon of Dallas has been chosen to
2 receive the 76th Annual Linz Award, and he is most worthy of special
3 recognition not only for this notable honor but also for his many
4 years of impressive community service; and

5 WHEREAS, The Linz Award is presented each year to an
6 individual whose civic or humanitarian efforts over the last decade
7 have greatly benefitted the Dallas community; and

8 WHEREAS, Chairman of Austin Industries, Mr. Solomon is a
9 cofounder of the Dallas Together Forum, a group of 30 business
10 leaders dedicated to advancing racial harmony and understanding in
11 the community; the organization has helped to encourage
12 constructive dialogue and has built financial opportunities for
13 minorities, whose participation in the local economy has increased
14 over the years; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Solomon has also worked hard to improve the
16 public school system, transportation, and the vitality of downtown
17 Dallas as chairman of the Greater Dallas Chamber of Commerce, and
18 has been an important supporter of The University of Texas
19 Southwestern Medical Center's campaign to fund clinical research
20 and other vital improvements; and

21 WHEREAS, This remarkable gentleman has expressed his
22 dedication to the welfare of others in truly lasting and meaningful
23 ways, and his efforts have greatly benefitted the citizens of
24 Dallas and the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate William T. Solomon on his receipt
3 of the 76th Annual Linz Award and commend him for his contributions
4 to the residents of North Texas; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1395 was adopted by the House on May 13, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House