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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is proud to 2 recognize Mary Dean for exemplary work as a legislative intern with 3 the office of State Representative Alma Allen; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1990, the Texas Legislative Internship Program offers students from Texas colleges and universities the opportunity to witness their state government in action firsthand as they serve as interns for members of the legislature and related offices or with other organizations involved with the legislature; and

10 WHEREAS, Sponsored by the Mickey Leland Center on World 11 Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern University, the intern program 12 fosters academic study and research and offers supervised practical 13 training; Senator Rodney Ellis serves as program advisor, and his 14 office staff helps to direct on-site activities; and

15 WHEREAS, During their tenure, interns garner valuable 16 knowledge of the legislative process and the issues facing the 17 citizens of the Lone Star State, gaining real-life work experience 18 that can be applied in both the public and private sectors; and

WHEREAS, Mary Dean has demonstrated exceptional commitment throughout this worthwhile program, and it is a privilege to recognize the contributions of this noteworthy student intern at this time; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
 Legislature hereby commend Mary Dean for serving as a legislative

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intern with the office of State Representative Alma Allen; and, be
 it further
 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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4 prepared for Mary Dean as an expression of high regard and best
5 wishes by the Texas House of Representatives.