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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Gilbert Rodriguez is retiring from the Edcouch-Elsa
 Independent School District in May 2005, offering an ideal
 opportunity to reflect on his career in education; and

WHEREAS, His professional association with the Edcouch-Elsa ISD began soon after his graduation from Edcouch-Elsa High School in 1967, and, with the exception of the two years he spent serving in Vietnam with the U.S. Army, it has continued uninterrupted for almost four decades; and

9 WHEREAS, During that time he brought his characteristic 10 diligence and integrity to a number of positions, including those 11 of coach, computer proctor, and PEIMS clerk; and

12 WHEREAS, Over the years Mr. Rodriguez has drawn great 13 strength and sustenance from his wife, Aida Rodriguez, and his son, 14 Eric Rodriguez; and

WHEREAS, Although his colleagues are sorry to see him move on, they wish him well as he opens a new and exciting chapter in his life; and

18 WHEREAS, Representative Aaron Pena has justly recognized 19 Gilbert Rodriguez by authoring this resolution in his behalf during 20 the Regular Session of the 79th Texas Legislature; now, therefore, 21 be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas Legislature hereby honor Gilbert Rodriguez on the occasion of his retirement from the Edcouch-Elsa Independent School District and

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extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Mr. Rodriguez as an expression of high regard by the
Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2307 was adopted by the House on May 30, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House