## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 46

## In Memory of Inocente Ramirez

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of Austin in mourning the loss of Inocente Ramirez, who died January 10, 2005, at the age of 72; and

WHEREAS, Born December 28, 1932, Inocente Ramirez was the founder and owner of Inocente's Cafe on East Cesar Chavez Street; he operated the restaurant for over 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ramirez was well known as an outstanding businessman and as a great humanitarian; and

WHEREAS, He was admired for his genuine kindness to his fellow man and for his willingness to extend a helping hand to all; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ramirez's life stands as an inspiration to others, encouraging them to never give up their aspirations; a pragmatic optimist, he believed success can be attained through hard work; and

WHEREAS, Inocente Ramirez was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, and he leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by his family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Inocente Ramirez: his wife of 36 years, Maria J. Ramirez; his daughters, Sylvia Orellana, Minerva Ramirez, and Rosa Vargas; his sons, Inocente Ramirez, Jr., Pedro Inocente Ramirez, Jesus Inocente Ramirez, Alex Brown, and Johnny Brown; his brothers, Jose Guadalupe Ramirez, Pedro Ramirez, Ramiro Ramirez,

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and Roy Ramirez; his sisters, Paula S. Robles, Rosa Ella Sosa, Elida Rosales, Irma Rojas, Enedelia Ramirez, Arabelia Ramirez, and Olga Ramirez; and his 26 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the family of Inocente Ramirez as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Inocente Ramirez.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 25, 2005, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate