## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 438

## In Memory of Nancy Jane Davis Hees

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Nancy Jane Davis Hees, who died recently at the age of 43; and

WHEREAS, Nancy was a 1979 graduate of John H. Reagan High School and attended Stephen F. Austin University in Nacogdoches; she spent two years with the Up With People program and made friends around the world; and

WHEREAS, For most of her working life, Nancy Hees was an ombudsman with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, and her advocacy, sincerity, and concern for others will be greatly missed; and

WHEREAS, A caring, kind-hearted woman who was highly respected in her professional field and in her personal life, Nancy enriched the lives of all who knew her with her compassion, warmth, and kindness; and

WHEREAS, A devout Christian, Nancy lived her faith in her daily life; she was admired and respected by everyone who knew her, and she will long be remembered for her quick smile, keen wit, and generous spirit; and

WHEREAS, She was a devoted wife and mother, loyal sister, and beloved daughter, and she leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by her family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Texas Senate, 79th Legislature, hereby pay tribute to the life of Nancy Jane Davis Hees and extend sincere condolences to her bereaved family: her husband, Mark; her daughter, Emily Jane; her mother, Jane Davis; her brother, Andy Davis; and her sisters, Cindy Davis, Karen Taylor, and Julie Bernatovicz; and, be it further

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

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## President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 21, 2005, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate