

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 445

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Augustine Diaz Rodriguez on the occasion of his retirement from the Harris County Sheriff's Department; and

**WHEREAS**, Augustine began his career at the Harris County Sheriff's Department in 1979 and was assigned to the Detention Bureau; he moved to the Patrol Bureau in 1981, where he remained until retirement; and

**WHEREAS**, Recently he has dealt with the sensitive issues of noise abatement and public nuisances for the department, cooperating with the Public Health and Environmental Services and the Harris County Attorney's Office to improve the quality of life for those in the unincorporated parts of Harris County; and

**WHEREAS**, Among the awards Augustine has received during his career are the 100 Club Rookie of the Year in 1981 and the American Legion Award in 1982; he is respected and admired by his colleagues, and his presence at the sheriff's department will be greatly missed; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, hereby commend Augustine Diaz Rodriguez for his many years of exemplary service to the Harris County Sheriff's Department and extend to him best wishes for a fruitful retirement; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 22, 2005.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate