SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 462

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the Central and South Texas Minority Business Council on the occasion of its "Face Time" EXPO 2005, which is being held in San Antonio March 22 and 23; and

WHEREAS, The Central and South Texas Minority Business Council helps minority business enterprises to grow and succeed; it is affiliated with the National Minority Supplier Development Council; one of 39 regional affiliated councils, it is headquartered in Austin and serves as a certification agency for corporate America; and

corporate America; and

WHEREAS, The Face Time EXPO in San Antonio is an efficient
and cost-effective means for a number of key purchasing personnel
and decision makers of corporations to meet owners of minority
business enterprises in a short amount of time; and

WHEREAS, Major corporations use the event to disseminate information about how to do business with their companies and to learn about minority-owned businesses that can fulfill their needs; and

WHEREAS, As a result of the contacts established at Face Time EXPO 2005, minority-owned enterprises and corporations will develop lasting business relationships; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, hereby commend members of the Central and South Texas Minority Business Council for their efforts on behalf of minority business enterprises and major corporations and extend best wishes to all attending Face Time EXPO 2005 for a successful event; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared in honor of this occasion.

Van de Putte

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 23, 2005.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate