

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Glen Oaks Elementary School in McKinney has received  
2 a No Child Left Behind--Blue Ribbon School Award, the highest  
3 national accolade that can be bestowed on a school for grades K-12,  
4 and it was one of only 36 schools in Texas and 250 nationally to be  
5 so recognized in 2006; and

6           WHEREAS, The award, created by the U.S. Department of  
7 Education in 1982 and redesigned in 2002 under the No Child Left  
8 Behind Act, honors public and private elementary, middle, and high  
9 schools that are models of academic success; to qualify for  
10 nomination, schools must demonstrate academic superiority within  
11 their state or show dramatic and consistent gains in student  
12 achievement; and

13           WHEREAS, Principal Beth Parker and the Glen Oaks staff are  
14 committed to providing their students with a challenging and  
15 supportive learning environment, one that will prepare them well  
16 for their future studies and that will nourish in them a  
17 wide-ranging curiosity and love of learning; and

18           WHEREAS, Through their hard work, the students of Glen Oaks  
19 Elementary have helped their school to achieve academic distinction  
20 and have earned the admiration of their families, friends, and  
21 community; and

22           WHEREAS, The receipt of a No Child Left Behind--Blue Ribbon  
23 School Award is a great honor, and the conferring of this award on  
24 Glen Oaks Elementary is a fitting tribute to that school's

1 dedication to excellence and its immeasurable contributions to its  
2 community; now, therefore, be it

3       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
4 Legislature hereby congratulate the students, staff, and  
5 administrators of Glen Oaks Elementary School on their receipt of a  
6 No Child Left Behind--Blue Ribbon School Award and extend to them  
7 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

8       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for the school as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
10 House of Representatives.

Paxton

H.R. No. 230

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 230 was adopted by the House on  
February 22, 2007, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House