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H.R. No. 557

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Joaquin A. Rodriguez of Edinburg, a member of the
2 Boys & Girls Clubs of America, is being honored as a participant in
3 the 2007 Youth of the Year program; and

4 WHEREAS, Sponsored by the Reader's Digest Foundation since
5 1947, the Youth of the Year program recognizes outstanding club
6 members for their contributions to their families, schools,
7 communities, and local Boys & Girls Clubs; winners are chosen on the
8 basis of their scholastic achievement, leadership abilities,
9 consistent demonstration of good character, and community service;
10 and

11 WHEREAS, A member of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Edinburg Rio
12 Grande Valley for two years, Joaquin Rodriguez has been active in a
13 number of the group's initiatives, including the National Steering
14 Committee for the Keystone Club; this high school senior also
15 serves as regional president of the Business Professionals of
16 America and has implemented a BPA project at Edinburg High School
17 entitled "Operation Save the Fish," through which freshmen receive
18 tutoring from seniors; moreover, he has designed computer classes
19 for city residents and plans to study computer science and law as a
20 college student; and

21 WHEREAS, In his endeavors, Mr. Rodriguez has demonstrated a
22 sincere commitment to improving his local community and has
23 distinguished himself as a young person of integrity and immense
24 promise; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Joaquin A. Rodriguez for
3 participating in the Boys & Girls Clubs of America 2007 Youth of the
4 Year program and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued
5 success; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Mr. Rodriguez as an expression of high regard by the
8 Texas House of Representatives.