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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Bonnie Creel has been honored with a Tarrant County
College (TCC) Chancellor's Award for Exemplary Teaching; and

3 WHEREAS, Given annually, the award is presented to one 4 professor at each of the TCC campuses; the honoree for the Northeast 5 Campus in Hurst, Mrs. Creel is a most deserving recipient, as she 6 has distinguished herself as an educator of the highest caliber 7 throughout her almost 18-year tenure with TCC; and

8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Creel is a graduate of Texas Christian 9 University and is currently pursuing her Ph.D.; she came to TCC 10 after serving as a middle school teacher and as an associate 11 professor at her alma mater; and

12 WHEREAS, Since joining TCC as an associate professor of 13 speech communications and western civilization, Mrs. Creel has 14 greatly benefited the college, tirelessly striving to provide her students with ample opportunities for personal, professional, and 15 academic achievement; her contributions to the vitality of the 16 school include the creation of a specialized speech course designed 17 18 for individuals seeking careers in health care, as well as her work as the original faculty member of the Northeast Campus Cornerstone 19 Honors program, which she served as director from 1996 to 2000; 20 21 moreover, she has given of her time and talents as a faculty advisor 22 for several student organizations, often taking her students to cities of cultural and historical significance, including our 23 nation's capital, where she arranged for 10 students to participate 24

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1 in the Inside Washington '06 program; and

2 WHEREAS, By showing sincere concern for each individual in 3 her classes, Mrs. Creel has helped to put her students on a path to 4 success, and she is most deserving of special recognition; now, 5 therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas 7 Legislature hereby congratulate Bonnie Creel on receiving a Tarrant 8 County College Chancellor's Award for Exemplary Teaching and extend 9 to her best wishes for the future; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 11 prepared for Mrs. Creel as an expression of high regard by the Texas 12 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 570 was adopted by the House on March 15, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House