By: Pierson H.R. No. 691

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Texans everywhere are indebted to the fine men and women in the law enforcement profession who, by their selfless dedication to public welfare, have enabled us to enjoy the benefits of a peaceful and orderly society; and

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WHEREAS, Police Officer Dwayne Freeto of the Fort Worth Police Department exemplified in his personal and professional conduct the singular virtues of courage, integrity, and unwavering dedication; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his nine months on the force and previous service in the United States Army, his record was one of meritorious service, loyalty, personal bravery, and self-sacrifice consistent with the high ideals of the law enforcement profession; and

WHEREAS, Killed in the line of duty on December 17, 2006, his untimely death was a tragic loss to his family, to his fellow peace officers, and to the entire community; and

WHEREAS, His legacy of heroic dedication and self-sacrifice will endure and continue to be a source on inspiration to those who follow in a difficult but essential profession; now, therefore be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Police Officer Dwayne
- 2 Freeto of the Fort Worth Police Department and extend deepest
- 3 sympathy to his family, friends, and fellow officers; and, be it
- 4 further
- 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 6 prepared for the members of his family and that when the Texas House
- 7 of Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in the memory of
- 8 Police Officer Dwayne Freeto.