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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, For the fourth consecutive year, CHRISTUS Santa Rosa 2 Health Care of San Antonio has earned the Distinguished Hospital 3 Award for Clinical Excellence from HealthGrades, the nation's 4 leading independent health care ratings company; and

5 WHEREAS, One of only four hospitals in Texas, and the only 6 hospital in San Antonio, to receive this prestigious accolade, 7 CHRISTUS Santa Rosa is rated among the top five percent of all adult 8 hospitals in the country; and

9 WHEREAS, CHRISTUS Santa Rosa is ranked number one among San 10 Antonio hospitals for heart surgery, joint replacement surgery, 11 cardiac services, gastrointestinal services, stroke treatment, and 12 pulmonary services; and

13 WHEREAS, The CHRISTUS Santa Rosa system also earned five-star 14 ratings in 2007 for its treatment of numerous afflictions and 15 ailments, including heart attacks, heart failure, total knee 16 replacement, and hip fracture repair; and

WHEREAS, San Antonio's only nonprofit, faith-based health care system, CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Health Care continues to enhance and improve facilities and services in order to provide the highest quality health care to its patients, and this commitment to excellence is truly exemplary; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate the executives, board members, administrators, and staff of CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Health Care on the

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hospital's receipt of the Distinguished Hospital Award for Clinical Excellence from HealthGrades and extend best wishes to the many individuals who contributed to this achievement; and, be it further RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Health Care as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.