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H.R. No. 817

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Dick and Doris Stephens celebrated their 60th
2 wedding anniversary on August 24, 2006, and they may indeed reflect
3 with joy on the rewarding relationship they have shared; and

4 WHEREAS, Dick Stephens and the former Doris Shipp exchanged
5 the vows of matrimony in Riverside, California, on that special day
6 in 1946, and over the course of their marriage, they have found in
7 each other a devoted life partner; and

8 WHEREAS, Longtime Lamesa residents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens
9 today reside in Lubbock, and they count among their blessings a fine
10 family that includes their daughters, Paula Franklin and her
11 husband, Wallace, and Linda Young and her husband, Jimmy, as well as
12 three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren with whom they
13 share the many special occasions of life; and

14 WHEREAS, For six decades, Dick and Doris Stephens have
15 together enjoyed laughter, kindness, and affection, and it is a
16 pleasure to honor them for their enduring commitment; now,
17 therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
19 Legislature hereby congratulate Dick and Doris Stephens on their
20 60th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
21 continued happiness; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
23 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Stephens as an expression of high regard
24 by the Texas House of Representatives.