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H.R. No. 1322

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Having demonstrated great promise as a student and  
2 citizen, Brandon Johnson is being recognized at the Reginald Keith  
3 Guillory Scholarship/Academic Awards Luncheon on April 14, 2007;  
4 and

5           WHEREAS, This gathering is honoring 16 students in grades 5  
6 through 12 who have distinguished themselves through their academic  
7 pursuits and civic involvement; the awards pay tribute to the  
8 memory of Reginald Keith Guillory, a student, musician, and member  
9 of Mount Pleasant Baptist Church in Houston, whose tragic death in  
10 an auto accident at age 18 prompted area residents to create a  
11 scholarship fund; and

12           WHEREAS, A most deserving recipient of this accolade, Brandon  
13 Johnson is the 17-year-old son of Demetrice Johnson; an honor  
14 student at Prosperity High School, this talented senior has  
15 showcased his abilities as a participant in Showtime at the Apollo,  
16 the Stellar Awards for 2006, Star Search, and other local  
17 competitions, and his involvement with the Apollo Choir earned him  
18 a gold medal; and

19           WHEREAS, In addition to his interest in music, Mr. Johnson is  
20 a community volunteer who is active in Higher Dimensions, Bible  
21 study, the YMCA, Men of Excellence, the Boys and Girls Club, and  
22 more; he plans to attend college and major in international  
23 marketing and hopes to one day have a career involving music and  
24 youth; and

1           WHEREAS, This fine young Texan is a source of tremendous  
2 pride to his family and teachers, and it is a pleasure to recognize  
3 Brandon Johnson as an exemplary member of the community whose many  
4 achievements foretell a bright future; now, therefore, be it

5           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
6 Legislature hereby congratulate Brandon Johnson on being a 2007  
7 honoree of the Reginald Keith Guillory Scholarship/Academic Awards  
8 Luncheon and extend to him best wishes for additional success; and,  
9 be it further

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