By: Martinez H.R. No. 1599

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Karen Djoahna Palapar of Trevino Elementary School
in San Juan has deservedly been named a finalist in the 2007 H-E-B
Excellence in Education Awards; and

WHEREAS, The H-E-B Excellence in Education Awards are designed to honor outstanding public school professionals for their dedication to their students; honorees go the extra mile each and everyday to serve their students and their communities, and Ms. Palapar is indeed one such inspiring professional; for her tireless efforts, she and her school each received a \$1,000 cash prize; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Palapar's selection as a finalist in this prestigious program is a testament to her commitment to the children of the Lone Star State and her proven ability to motivate, mentor, and provide innovative and exciting instruction; her passion for teaching has truly enriched the lives of many young Texans, and it is a pleasure to honor her at this time; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Karen Djoahna Palapar on being named a finalist in the 2007 H-E-B Excellence in Education Awards and extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for Ms. Palapar as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.