

By: Davis of Dallas

H.R. No. 1645

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Mance Zachary of Dallas has been named a winner of  
2 the 2007 Outstanding Texan Award in the category of  
3 community/public service by the Texas Legislative Black Caucus; and

4 WHEREAS, Outstanding Texans are honored for the positive  
5 impact they make in their communities, and the dedicated service  
6 that Mr. Zachary has provided as a civic leader has greatly enhanced  
7 the lives of many individuals in the Dallas area; and

8 WHEREAS, A 1980 graduate of Waco High School, Mr. Zachary  
9 earned a baseball scholarship to Prairie View A&M University, where  
10 he studied business management and received a bachelor's degree in  
11 1984; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Zachary has been a valued employee of TXU for  
13 more than 18 years, serving in customer service, commercial sales,  
14 and after-market sales and holding such executive positions as  
15 business development manager, area manager, REP relations manager,  
16 and district manager; he is currently stationed in Austin as  
17 director of governmental advocacy during the 80th Legislative  
18 Session; and

19 WHEREAS, Residents of North Texas have benefited from Mr.  
20 Zachary's dedicated public service; a member of the board of  
21 directors for the Duncanville, Cedar Hill, Southeast Dallas, and  
22 Oak Cliff Chambers of Commerce, he has served on the boards of the  
23 Duncanville Lions Club, Dallas Convention and Visitors Bureau,  
24 Dallas ISD District 1 Planning Council, Southeast Dallas YMCA, and

1 Best Southwest Partnership; in addition, he has been chair of the  
2 Duncanville Chamber of Commerce and Best Southwest Scholars  
3 community education outreach and served as scoutmaster for Birdie  
4 Alexander Elementary School in Dallas; and

5 WHEREAS, Mance Zachary stands as an inspiring example of how  
6 one person can better a community through professional dedication  
7 and civic activism, and the Outstanding Texan commendation is a  
8 fitting recognition of his exemplary achievements; now, therefore,  
9 be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas  
11 Legislature hereby congratulate Mance Zachary on receiving a 2007  
12 Outstanding Texan Award from the Texas Legislative Black Caucus and  
13 extend to him best wishes for further success; and, be it further

14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
15 prepared for Mr. Zachary as an expression of high regard by the  
16 Texas House of Representatives.