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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, A 60th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of love and shared experiences, and Leon and Elva Thompson of Midland celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on April 4, 2007; and

WHEREAS, Leon Thompson and the former Elva Forbes were joined in matrimony in 1947 in a ceremony held in Saginaw; through the years, they have been blessed with a treasured family that includes their three children, Danny Thompson, Patricia Eimer, and James Thompson, as well as eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Thompson worked for Mobil Oil for 35 years and was in mechanical maintenance in Monahans for 22 years; before moving to Midland, the couple lived in several places in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, and Norway; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are members of the First Baptist Church and are also affiliated with the Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite, and the Suez Shrine; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have enjoyed six decades of abiding love and affection for one another, and they are among an exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting commitment; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Leon and Elva Thompson on their 60th wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for

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continued happiness; and, be it further

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