

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of love
2 and shared experiences, and Juan and Sonia Banda of Waco celebrated
3 this joyous milestone in their marriage on February 23, 2007; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Banda were joined in matrimony in 1957
5 at a ceremony held at St. Francis of Assisi in Chicago; through the
6 years, they have been blessed with a treasured family that includes
7 four children, Ruben Banda, Maria Olga Banda Hernandez, Ricardo
8 Banda, and Juan Antonio "Tony" Banda, as well as 12 grandchildren
9 and 10 great-grandchildren; and

10 WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Juan Banda is
11 retired, and Sonia Banda worked part-time as a crossing guard for
12 the Waco Independent School District; and

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

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
18 Legislature hereby congratulate Juan and Sonia Banda on their
19 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes
20 for continued happiness; and, be it further

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

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H.R. No. 1726

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1726 was adopted by the House on May 11, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House