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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The defending state champion Lady Bobcats
2 gymnastics team of Central High School in San Angelo advanced to the
3 2007 state championship after dominating the Region III Gymnastics
4 Championships in Odessa in April of this year; and

5 WHEREAS, The Lady Bobcats swept the top three places in the
6 all-around competition and will attempt to capture a second
7 consecutive state title when they compete against the state's top
8 teams at Angelo State University May 3 through May 5, 2007; and

9 WHEREAS, Makensie Parker won the all-around title at the
10 regional meet, with two-time defending state champion Kaila Martin
11 finishing second and Cristin Harper taking third place; notably,
12 the Lady Bobcats finished with five of the top six scorers in all
13 four individual events en route to claiming the regional title; and

14 WHEREAS, In the vault, Ms. Martin finished first, followed by
15 Ms. Parker in second, Jasmine Brown in third, Ms. Harper in fourth,
16 and Liana Kupillas in sixth; Ms. Martin and Ms. Parker tied for
17 first in the uneven bars, with Erica Russell finishing third,
18 Ms. Harper finishing fourth, and Colette Davis finishing fifth; and

19 WHEREAS, The balance beam competition concluded with
20 Ms. Martin in first, Ms. Parker in second, Chaney Collins in third,
21 Ms. Harper in fifth, and Ms. Kupillas in sixth; Ms. Parker posted
22 the meet's top individual score, 19.80, on floor exercise to claim
23 first place in the event, and she was closely followed by Ms. Martin
24 in second, Ms. Harper in third, Ms. Brown, who tied for fourth, and

1 Jenna Mims, who tied for sixth; and

2 WHEREAS, These talented student athletes put together one of
3 the most impressive performances in the history of girls' regional
4 gymnastics competition in Texas, setting a new state points record,
5 and their dedication to excellence will serve them well as they
6 compete for the coveted state crown in May; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate the members of the Central High
9 School Lady Bobcats gymnastics team on winning the 2007 Region III
10 championship and extend best wishes to the team as it defends its
11 state title in May 2007; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
13 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
14 House of Representatives.