

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Rebecca Toolan of Palo Alto Elementary School in San
2 Antonio has been named the Teacher of the Year by the South San
3 Antonio School District and the recipient of the KENS 5/ExCEL Award
4 in recognition of her outstanding dedication to her profession; and

5 WHEREAS, A summa cum laude graduate of The University of
6 Texas at San Antonio, Ms. Toolan is in her third year as a
7 second-grade teacher at Palo Alto Elementary; and

8 WHEREAS, She motivates her students to learn through an
9 innovative and creative approach to instruction, often using music
10 and dance to teach mathematical concepts; she is devoted to
11 instilling a love of learning in her students and in demonstrating
12 the importance of teamwork in the pursuit of one's goals; and

13 WHEREAS, Rebecca Toolan has made an undeniably positive
14 difference in the lives of her students, and she will no doubt
15 continue to inspire countless young Texans with her enthusiasm,
16 compassion, and commitment to excellence; now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
18 Legislature hereby congratulate Rebecca Toolan on her selection as
19 the South San Antonio Independent School District Teacher of the
20 Year and as the recipient of the KENS 5/ExCEL Award and extend to
21 her best wishes for continued success with her important work; and,
22 be it further

H.R. No. 1921

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1921 was adopted by the House on May 18, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House