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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Governor Rick Perry appointed nine students in
February 2007 to represent their peers as members of Texas public
university boards of regents; and

WHEREAS, For more than 40 years, the students of the colleges and universities of Texas have sought representation on the governing bodies of their institutions; and

WHEREAS, With the passage of Senate Bill 34 during the 79th 7 Legislative Session, that longtime goal became a reality; selected 8 by a process that includes the student body, student government, 9 university administration, and the governor, student regents 10 represent a wide diversity of backgrounds and viewpoints and offer 11 12 university leadership a different perspective on such important 13 issues as tuition and fee increases, faculty decisions, and budget 14 matters; and

WHEREAS, The outstanding young men and women currently 15 serving as student regents are Magdalena Manzano, Texas State 16 University System; Ebtesam Attaya Islam, Texas Tech University 17 18 System; Christopher Sharpe, University of Houston System; Randal Matthew Camarillo, University of Texas System; Diana Schulz, 19 University of North Texas; Christianne Kellett, Texas Woman's 20 21 University; Jason A. York, Midwestern State University; Stephanie 22 Tracy, Stephen F. Austin State University; and Cassidy Ann Daniel, 23 Texas A&M University System; and

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WHEREAS, These students devote long hours and work hard to

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ensure that the wants and needs of their fellow students are heard and addressed, and they are truly deserving of recognition for their efforts; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas Legislature hereby commend the student members of the boards of regents of the public universities of Texas for their contributions to the welfare of their fellow students and extend to them sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 10 prepared for the students as an expression of high regard by the 11 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1927 was adopted by the House on May 18, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House