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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the heartache felt
2 at the loss of U.S. Army Staff Sergeant Kenneth I. Pugh of Houston,
3 who died while bravely serving his country on July 17, 2006, at the
4 age of 39; and

5 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 3rd Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment,
6 4th Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division, Staff Sergeant Pugh
7 was mortally wounded when his M1A2 Abrams tank encountered enemy
8 forces small-arms fire in Baghdad, Iraq; and

9 WHEREAS, Americans owe a profound debt to our nation's
10 servicemen and servicewomen, whose courageous efforts and enormous
11 sacrifices are deserving of their fellow citizens' deepest respect
12 and gratitude; and

13 WHEREAS, Exemplifying the highest ideals of the U.S. armed
14 forces, Kenneth I. Pugh inspired others with his fortitude,
15 tenacity, and courage; although his death leaves a void in the lives
16 of his loved ones, they will forever carry memories of this heroic
17 Texan close in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
19 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Staff
20 Sergeant Kenneth I. Pugh and extend deepest sympathy to all those
21 who mourn his passing; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
23 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
24 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of U.S.

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1 Army Staff Sergeant Kenneth I. Pugh.