

By: Smith of Tarrant

H.R. No. 2431

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Sam Smith of L.D. Bell High School has been named a
2 finalist for the National Merit Scholarship; and

3 WHEREAS, Established in 1955, the National Merit Scholarship
4 Program honors less than one percent of all high school seniors each
5 year, based on their scores on the Preliminary Scholastic
6 Assessment Test; the designation represents an opportunity for
7 young men and women to compete for scholarship awards and win entry
8 into some of the nation's best schools; and

9 WHEREAS, One of only five students at L.D. Bell High School to
10 be chosen as a National Merit Scholar finalist this year, Sam Smith
11 has demonstrated a commitment to academic excellence and a
12 commendable work ethic that will undoubtedly benefit him in the
13 future; and

14 WHEREAS, This scholastic achievement places Mr. Smith at the
15 forefront of academic excellence in the nation, and it is indeed a
16 pleasure to honor this notable student who is well prepared to face
17 the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead; now, therefore, be
18 it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
20 Legislature hereby congratulate Sam Smith on being selected as a
21 finalist in the National Merit Scholarship Program and extend to
22 him best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for Mr. Smith as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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1 House of Representatives.