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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Nicole Rowlette of L.D. Bell High School has been

- 2 named a 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, Nicole
- 11 Rowlette has demonstrated a commitment to academic excellence and a
- 12 commendable work ethic that will undoubtedly benefit her in the
- 13 future; and
- 14 WHEREAS, This scholastic achievement places Ms. Rowlette at
- 15 the forefront of academic excellence in the nation, and it is indeed
- 16 a pleasure to honor this notable student who is well prepared to
- 17 face the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead; now,
- 18 therefore, be it
- 19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
- 20 Legislature hereby congratulate Nicole Rowlette on being selected
- 21 as a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship Program and extend
- 22 to her best wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 24 prepared for Ms. Rowlette as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives.