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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to 2 recognize James C. Lacey for his outstanding work in the office of 3 Representative Senfronia Thompson; and WHEREAS, Mr. Lacey has been a participant in the Texas 4 Legislative Internship Program administered by the Mickey Leland 5 Center on World Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern University; and 6 WHEREAS, Established in 1990, this excellent internship 7 program provides a unique opportunity for students from Texas 8 colleges and universities to serve as interns in the 9 Legislature, in state agencies, and in local government offices; 10 students receive academic credit for participating in the program, 11 12 which combines study and research with supervised practical

14 senator's office assists with coordinating the on-site activities;

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WHEREAS, A graduate of Loyola University in Chicago, where he earned a bachelor's degree in philosophy, James Lacey is currently a third-year student at the Thurgood Marshall School of Law; and

training; Senator Rodney Ellis serves as a program advisor, and the

WHEREAS, During his tenure as an intern, Mr. Lacey has obtained firsthand knowledge of the governmental process and gained work experience in a political environment, as well as developed insight into the important issues facing our communities and our

23 state today; and

WHEREAS, Diligent, resourceful, and talented, Mr. Lacey has 24

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- 1 skillfully handled the multifaceted duties of the representative's
- 2 office and ably assisted with the needs of constituents; now,
- 3 therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
- 5 Legislature hereby commend James C. Lacey for his tireless
- 6 dedication and exemplary work as a participant in the Texas
- 7 Legislative Internship Program and extend to him sincere best
- 8 wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for Mr. Lacey as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 11 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2644 was adopted by the House on May 25, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House