

By: Burnam

H.R. No. 2678

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Texas has a rich tradition of great music, and music
2 is the universal human language that has the power to bring together
3 peoples of all backgrounds and political affiliations; and

4 WHEREAS, the Bad Precedents is a group of musicians linked by
5 the common thread of service to the state of Texas; and

6 WHEREAS, the performance of live music by the Bad Precedents
7 during the regular session of the 80th Texas Legislature has served
8 to unite the members of the Legislature and bring joy to countless
9 listeners, fans, and dancers, including Mr. Tom Craddick and his
10 wife, Nadine; and

11 WHEREAS, the Bad Precedents consists of State Senator Bob
12 Deuell, State Representative Jim Dunnam, Vernon Effenberger, Kelly
13 Fine, Michael Garemko, Ross Peavey, Tommy Tynes, and Jeff Rotkoff;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, The Bad Precedents played with many special guests,
16 including State Representatives Roberto Alonzo, Lon Burnam,
17 Joaquin Castro, Myra Crownover, Kirk England, Stephen Frost, Pete
18 Gallego, Juan Garcia, Veronica Gonzales, Pat Haggerty, Abel
19 Herrero, Bryan Hughes, Susan King, Tommy Merritt, Borris Miles,
20 Elliot Naishtat, Joe Pickett, Richard Raymond, Larry Taylor and
21 Marc Veasey, Senator Jane Nelson, and Hugh Brady, Karen Brooks,
22 Paul Brown, Denise Davis, Lauren Dunnam, Mason Dunnam, Sandie
23 Haverlah, Dave McNeely, Steve Sheffield, Kevin Vickers and Lara
24 Wendler; and

1 WHEREAS, No band can function properly without quality
2 roadies and support personnel, and the Bad Precedents are well
3 served by Jenny Casey, Russell Devorsky, Jerry Phillips, Leighton
4 Wilson and others; and

5 WHEREAS, The Bad Precedents and all of their special guests
6 are deserving of special recognition for their fine work; now,
7 therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
9 Legislature hereby honor the Bad Precedents and their special
10 guests for their outstanding musical performances during the
11 regular session of the 80th Texas Legislature; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
13 Legislature hereby encourages The Bad Precedents to keep on rocking
14 in the free world; and, be it further

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
16 Legislature hereby recognize The Bad Precedents as the official
17 band of the regular session of the 80th Texas Legislature; and, be
18 it further

19 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
20 prepared for each member of The Bad Precedents and each of their
21 special guests as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of
22 Representatives.