

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Emily Rose Smith of Chalk Bluff has been named a
2 National Merit Commended Scholar; 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, A senior at Vanguard College Preparatory School in
10 Waco, Ms. Smith is the daughter of Roger and Dottie Smith; she is a
11 National Debate semifinalist and a member of the National Honor
12 Roll, the National Society of High School Scholars, and *Who's Who*
13 *Among American High School Students*; and

14 WHEREAS, Emily Smith has demonstrated exceptional
15 intelligence, initiative, and maturity in pursuing her academic
16 goals, and it is appropriate to take this opportunity to commend her
17 on her academic achievements; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
19 Legislature hereby congratulate Emily Rose Smith on her selection
20 as a National Merit Commended Scholar and extend to her sincere best
21 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

Anderson

H.R. No. 2807

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2807 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House