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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Those Texans who work daily to uphold the proud 2 traditions of family farming are an indispensable asset to the 3 people of the Lone Star State; and

WHEREAS, Robert Hahn and his wife, Jimmie, of McLennan County are two such individuals, and their outstanding contributions as family farmers have been justly recognized with the acceptance of their agricultural operation, Bull Hide Creek Farms, into the Texas Department of Agriculture Family Land Heritage Program; and

9 WHEREAS, Created to honor farms and ranches that have been in 10 continuous agricultural operation by the same family for a century 11 or more, the program draws welcome attention to the rich and vibrant 12 history of Texas agriculture; and

13 WHEREAS, Bull Hide Creek Farms dates to 1902, when Emil Hahn 14 acquired 202.25 acres of land; his wife Auguste took over operations when he died in 1909, and she was able to keep the farm 15 profitable during the Great Depression; through the years, the 16 family members have grown cotton, hay, and corn and raised cattle 17 and mules; today, Mr. and Mrs. Hahn continue to raise cattle and 18 grow corn, and they have introduced the production of wheat and 19 20 soybeans; and

21 WHEREAS, In continuing to work their family farm, the Hahns 22 have carried on their family's significant legacy, and it is indeed 23 fitting to honor this worthwhile endeavor; now, therefore, be it 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas

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Legislature hereby congratulate Robert and Jimmie Hahn on the induction of Bull Hide Creek Farms into the Texas Department of Agriculture Family Land Heritage Program and extend to them sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 6 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Hahn as an expression of high regard by 7 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2811 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House