

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to
2 recognize Tony Rodriques for his outstanding work in the office of
3 Representative Craig Eiland; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Rodriques has been a participant in the Texas
5 Legislative Internship Program administered by the Mickey Leland
6 Center on World Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern University; and

7 WHEREAS, Established in 1990, this excellent internship
8 program provides a unique opportunity for students from Texas
9 colleges and universities to serve as interns in the Texas
10 Legislature, in state agencies, and in local government offices;
11 students receive academic credit for participating in the program,
12 which combines study and research with supervised practical
13 training; Senator Rodney Ellis serves as a program advisor, and the
14 senator's office assists with coordinating the on-site activities;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, A U.S. Army veteran, Mr. Rodriques graduated from
17 Cheyney University in Pennsylvania with a bachelor's degree in
18 accounting; he is in his second year of studies at the Thurgood
19 Marshall School of Law at Texas Southern University; and

20 WHEREAS, During his tenure as an intern, Mr. Rodriques has
21 obtained firsthand knowledge of the governmental process and gained
22 work experience in a political environment, as well as developed
23 insight into the important issues facing our communities and our
24 state; and

1 WHEREAS, Diligent, resourceful, and talented, Mr. Rodriques
2 has skillfully handled the multifaceted duties of the
3 representative's office and ably assisted with the needs of
4 constituents; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
6 Legislature hereby commend Tony Rodriques for his tireless
7 dedication and exemplary work as a participant in the Texas
8 Legislative Internship Program and extend to him sincere best
9 wishes for the future; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for Mr. Rodriques as an expression of high regard by the
12 Texas House of Representatives.

Hernandez

H.R. No. 2817

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2817 was adopted by the House on May 28, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House