

By: Hernandez

H.R. No. 2817

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.