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H.R. No. 2980

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Stephanie Bruse of Pasadena has been named
2 valedictorian of the Class of 2007 at Deer Park High School, and for
3 achieving this significant honor she indeed merits special
4 recognition; and

5 WHEREAS, Earning the title of valedictorian requires not only
6 intellect and aptitude, but four years of dedication to the highest
7 academic standards; the student who garners this coveted
8 distinction must demonstrate a thorough understanding of a wide
9 range of subjects, from math and science to language arts and social
10 studies, yet the rewards of the countless hours of study and
11 preparation are myriad; and

12 WHEREAS, In addition to the pride inherent in being
13 recognized as the highest achieving student in her class, the
14 valedictorian is frequently the recipient of scholarships and
15 grants; she also gains the opportunity to address her fellow
16 seniors at commencement and to reflect on their shared history as
17 well as their hopes and ambitions for the future; and

18 WHEREAS, The daughter of proud parents Mark and Carol Bruse,
19 Stephanie Bruse has distinguished herself during her years in high
20 school as a member of the National Honor Society, the Lab Management
21 Chemistry Club, and Mu Alpha Theta, while achieving a remarkable
22 5.65 grade point average; and

23 WHEREAS, Ms. Bruse has also benefited the greater community,
24 sharing her time and talents with Pasadena Pet Adoption and Asbury

1 United Methodist Church, and her plans after high school include
2 studying chemical engineering at Vanderbilt University; and

3 WHEREAS, Stephanie Bruse has earned the respect and
4 admiration of her teachers and classmates at Deer Park High, and her
5 exceptional scholastic ability, hard work, and commitment to
6 excellence have surely opened the way to limitless opportunities
7 for this talented young Texan; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
9 Legislature hereby congratulate Stephanie Bruse on being named the
10 2007 valedictorian of Deer Park High School and extend to her
11 sincere best wishes for continued success in all her endeavors;
12 and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Ms. Bruse as an expression of high regard by the Texas
15 House of Representatives.