

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The successful operation of the Texas House of
2 Representatives during the 80th legislative session has been
3 greatly aided by the dedicated work of House Parliamentarian Denise
4 Davis and Deputy Parliamentarian Christopher Griesel; and

5 WHEREAS, Since her appointment to the position in 2004,
6 Ms. Davis has capably handled her duties of guiding the Speaker
7 through the daily activities of house floor sessions and ensuring
8 that the members abide by the House Rules; a graduate of The
9 University of Texas School of Law, she has previously served as
10 director of and counsel to the Texas Judicial Council, as general
11 counsel for the Lieutenant Governor's Office, as house deputy
12 parliamentarian, and as an attorney with the Texas Legislative
13 Council; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Griesel has also brought extensive experience
15 to his role as deputy parliamentarian; before his appointment in
16 2004, he served notable tenures as the rules attorney for the
17 Supreme Court and as an attorney with the Texas Legislative
18 Council; and

19 WHEREAS, The conscientious efforts of Ms. Davis and
20 Mr. Griesel have ably supported the members of this chamber
21 throughout this regular session, and their service is truly
22 appreciated; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 80th Texas
24 Legislature hereby commend House Parliamentarian Denise Davis and

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1 Deputy Parliamentarian Christopher Griesel for their exemplary
2 work and extend to them best wishes for the future; and, be it
3 further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for Ms. Davis and Mr. Griesel as an expression of high
6 regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Murphy

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2994 was adopted by the House on May 28, 2007, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House