



1 parliamentarians, including the late Robert E. Johnson, Sr., who  
2 was honored for his longtime service to the Texas Legislature with  
3 the dedication of the Robert E. Johnson, Sr., State Legislative  
4 Office Building; renowned Texas and United States legislator  
5 Barbara Jordan emphasized the importance of parliamentary  
6 procedure when she stated, "If you're going to play the game  
7 properly, you'd better know every rule"; and

8         WHEREAS, The members of the Texas Legislature, as well as the  
9 citizens of the State of Texas, owe a debt of gratitude to the  
10 parliamentarians, secretaries, and clerks of the Texas Senate and  
11 House of Representatives, for their skillful, equitable, and  
12 efficient execution of session business is integral to ensuring the  
13 integrity and consistency of the legislative process in the Lone  
14 Star State; now, therefore, be it

15         RESOLVED, That the 80th Legislature of the State of Texas  
16 hereby recognize May 5, 2007, as Parliamentary Law Day at the State  
17 Capitol and extend to the members of the Texas State Association of  
18 Parliamentarians sincere best wishes for a memorable and rewarding  
19 convention in Austin.