SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 185

WHEREAS, When they married many years ago, Edward J. Parnell and Pamela J. Parnell placed great faith and trust in the future, and they have been amply rewarded, as they recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Edward and Pamela Parnell were married in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on January 25, 1957; the world has changed considerably during the years of their marriage, yet Mr. and Mrs. Parnell have continued to cherish traditional family values; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, they have grown stronger in their love and devotion as together they have experienced the joys and sorrows of everyday living; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Parnell have been blessed with a wonderful family; their children, Donna J. Williams, Edward J. Parnell III, and Maureen J. Wagner, and their grandchildren, Ensign Theodore Williams, Tamara Williams, and Blair V. Wagner, have been a source of much pride and joy; and

WHEREAS, The long and happy union of Mr. and Mrs. Parnell

is truly an inspiration to us all; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby extend sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Parnell on their 50th wedding anniversary; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for this distinguished couple as a memento of this special day in their lives.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 7, 2007.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate