SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 510

In Memory of Russell P. Borea

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Sergeant First Class Russell P. Borea, who died January 19, 2007, at the age of 38 while serving his country in Iraq; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Borea was a member of the 2nd Battalion, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division, based at Fort Bliss; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Borea was known for his calm nature and soft-spoken, gentle demeanor; he was also known for his resolute will and exemplary service as a soldier; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Borea demonstrated unwavering resolve and courage in the performance of his duties during combat operations in Mosul; he was killed when a makeshift bomb exploded near his Humvee; and

WHEREAS, A devoted husband and father, he was beloved by his family and friends, and he will long be remembered for his generous spirit and his many accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Sergeant First Class Russell P. Borea; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the members of his family as an expression of deepest sympathy

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from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Sergeant First Class Russell P. Borea. Shapleigh

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I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 19, 2007, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate