

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 762**

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Debra Kretzschmar, who is retiring from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts on April 30, 2007, after 31 years of loyal service with the state; and

**WHEREAS**, Debbie began her career with the comptroller's office in February, 1976, as a part-time, nighttime keypunch operator for the Revenue Processing Division; within a month, she was invited to join the agency on a full-time basis; she has worked under the leadership of Comptrollers Bob Bullock, John Sharp, Carole Keeton Strayhorn, and Susan Combs; and

**WHEREAS**, After transferring to data services in the documentation library in 1979, she authored job standards and library procedures, processed program control logs, and, as supervisor, monitored and controlled system documentation; she moved to the operations section as a program administrator in 1993 and coordinated procedures and paperwork for employees; and

**WHEREAS**, She joined the Information Resource Planning Group in 1995; the group, which transferred to the Budget and Internal Auditing Division in 1997, won the comptroller's Outstanding Team Award; she earned software manager certification in 2003, and she won the comptroller's Service to Internal Customers Award in 2005; and

**WHEREAS**, Throughout her career with the comptroller's office, Debbie has handled her many responsibilities with exceptional efficiency and dedication; she has been an exemplary employee who earned the admiration and respect of her colleagues, and her presence at the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts will be greatly missed; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 80th Legislature, hereby commend Debra Kretzschmar for her exceptional service and her many contributions to our state and extend to her best wishes for the retirement years ahead; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 17, 2007.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate