

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1156

In Memory
of
Philip R. Pyndus

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the loss of Philip R. Pyndus, who died May 9, 2007, at the age of 85; and

WHEREAS, Philip Pyndus was born November 9, 1921, in Houston; after serving his country in the United States Army during World War II, he attended The University of Texas at Austin and graduated with honors with a bachelor's degree in business administration; and

WHEREAS, Following his graduation, Mr. Pyndus entered the steel business in Houston by joining the Moncrief-Lenoir Steel Company; he later moved to San Antonio, where he opened his own company, Pyndus Steel; and

WHEREAS, Dedicated to public service, Mr. Pyndus served two terms on the San Antonio City Council representing District 8; he was also a member of the San Antonio Breakfast Club and the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, and he served on the welcoming committee for Ronald Reagan's 1980 visit to San Antonio; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Pyndus was an avid tennis player, and he captained the Oak Hills Men's 3.5 Seniors 55+ team to a national championship in 1993; in 2001, he and his wife, Margie, became Texas' Senior Olympics Champions; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Pyndus will be remembered for his generosity, his kindness, and his humor, and his family and friends will

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continue to live with cherished memories of his life 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 Philip R. Pyndus: his wife of 59 years, Margaret H. Pyndus; his daughter and son-in-law, Beth Pyndus Morin and Dr. Ronald R. Morin; his son and daughter-in-law, Richard M. Pyndus and Jeanette A. Pyndus; his grandchildren, Katherine Marie Morin and David Michael Morin; and his brother, Stanley E. Pyndus; 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 from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Philip R. Pyndus.

Wentworth

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 25, 2007, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate