By: Martinez Fischer

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Henry James Gonzales, Jr., passed away on June 4, 2 2009, at the age of 39, and his untimely death has left a void in the 3 lives of those who knew and loved him; and

WHEREAS, A lifelong resident of San Antonio, Mr. Gonzales was born on May 28, 1970, to Eloise and Henry Gonzales, Sr.; he graduated from St. Mary's University and went on to serve as president of the Texas Association of Pawnbrokers; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Gonzales was devoted to his wife of 13 years, 9 Nicky, with whom he was lovingly raising two sons, Henry and Diego; 10 an avid traveler, he enjoyed family trips to Disney World and new 11 adventures, and while at home he could often be found cheering on 12 the Spurs; and

13 WHEREAS, Although his time on this earth was far too brief, 14 Henry Gonzales touched many hearts, and memories of time spent in 15 his presence will be forever treasured by those who held him dear; 16 now, therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas 18 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of 19 Henry James Gonzales, Jr., and extend deepest sympathy to the 20 members of his family: to his wife, Nicky Gonzales; to his sons, 21 Henry Gonzales III and Diego Gonzales; to his mother, Eloise 22 Gonzales; to his sister, Shirley Gonzales; and to his other 23 relatives and many friends; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Henry James
Gonzales, Jr.