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H.R. No. 428

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Earlean Anderson Lang Mitchell of San Antonio
2 celebrated the joyous occasion of her 80th birthday on July 14,
3 2008; and

4 WHEREAS, A native of the Lone Star State, Mrs. Mitchell was
5 born in Jacksonville in 1928; she graduated from Emmett Scott High
6 School in 1944 and went on to attend Tillotson College, Texas
7 College, Texas Southern University, and Southwest Texas State
8 University; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Mitchell served as a secretary to the Smith
10 County agricultural agents and the Tyler school district before
11 relocating to San Antonio in 1960; after a tenure with St. Philip's
12 College, she joined the staff at Kelly Air Force Base, and during
13 her notable 27-year career she served in Vietnam, Greece, and
14 Germany; and

15 WHEREAS, Today, she enjoys the love and affection of her
16 daughters, Linda Lang Yates, LePaula Lang Jarmon, and Gloria Lang
17 Jones and her husband, Jim, as well as four grandchildren, Matari
18 Jones Gunter, Jibri Jones, Kisha Yates Harper, and Jabari Yates,
19 and two great-grandchildren, Aneesa Harper and Theodore Henry
20 Gunter; and

21 WHEREAS, A valued member of her community, Mrs. Mitchell
22 attends Porter Memorial C.M.E. Church, where she serves her
23 congregation as a member of the stewardess board, missionary
24 society, and finance office; in her free time, she enjoys traveling

1 and spending time with family and friends; and

2 WHEREAS, Earlean Mitchell's 80th birthday provided a welcome
3 opportunity for her loved ones to share with her a small bit of the
4 joy she has imparted to others throughout her life and to remind her
5 of the high regard in which she is held; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
7 Legislature hereby honor Earlean Anderson Lang Mitchell on her 80th
8 birthday and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued
9 happiness; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
11 prepared for Mrs. Mitchell as an expression of high regard by the
12 Texas House of Representatives.