

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, B&W Pantex earned an outstanding performance rating
2 from the National Nuclear Security Administration for its
3 management and operation of the Pantex plant located northeast of
4 Amarillo in Carson County, the nation's primary facility for
5 assembling and dismantling nuclear weapons; and

6 WHEREAS, This notable company received a 94 percent, its
7 highest score to date, on the 2008 contract performance evaluation,
8 exceeding NNSA expectations for delivering weapons-stockpile
9 products to the defense department, as well as its own production
10 commitments; and

11 WHEREAS, The contractor further beat performance
12 expectations for nuclear-weapons dismantlements and got high marks
13 for improving electrical safety and averting plant layoffs amid
14 budget shortfalls; moreover, B&W Pantex employees achieved the best
15 safety performance within the NNSA Complex; and

16 WHEREAS, Charged with significant responsibility, B&W Pantex
17 continually strives to improve its overall safety record, and its
18 2008 performance evaluation stands as a testament to the hard work
19 and dedication of its many employees; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
21 Legislature hereby honor B&W Pantex on earning an outstanding
22 performance rating from the National Nuclear Security
23 Administration and extend to all those associated with the company
24 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

H.R. No. 529

1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
2 prepared for B&W Pantex as an expression of high regard by the Texas
3 House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 529

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 529 was adopted by the House on
February 24, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House