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H.R. No. 1221

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Since 2007, Dr. Jacqueline O. Dansby has
2 distinguished herself as president of the San Antonio Women's Hall
3 of Fame, and it is indeed a pleasure to join the members of that
4 notable organization in paying tribute to this outstanding civic
5 leader; and

6 WHEREAS, The San Antonio Women's Hall of Fame was founded in
7 1984 by Dr. Gloria Jo Floyd, the vice chair of the Governor's
8 Commission for Women who had also helped establish the Texas
9 Women's Hall of Fame; since that time, the organization has
10 extended its membership to more than 300 women who have
11 demonstrated exemplary efforts in serving their communities, and it
12 has sought to fulfill its mission to provide educational
13 scholarships to deserving high school students, as well as women
14 who have left the workforce to pursue degrees; inducted in 1999, Dr.
15 Dansby has remained committed to the Women's Hall of Fame, serving
16 as vice president of the board of directors and chair of the Honoree
17 Selection Committee before being elected president, and she has
18 guided the organization through such events as its 25th anniversary
19 celebration; and

20 WHEREAS, Dr. Dansby grew up in the Alamo City and holds a
21 doctoral degree in higher education administration from Texas A&M
22 University; she has directed Upward Bound at St. Mary's University
23 in San Antonio, a program that helps to prepare students for
24 college, and she has shared her expertise with the Alamo Chamber of

1 Commerce as an education adviser through its African American
2 Leadership Institute; Dr. Dansby has also served as the San Antonio
3 director of the Black Former Student Network of Texas A&M
4 University, and she has worked with both St. Mary's University and
5 Palo Alto College as an adjunct faculty member; and

6 WHEREAS, With the utmost dedication and selflessness, Dr.
7 Dansby has helped bring vital opportunities in higher education to
8 the members of her community, and she is inspiration to all those
9 who are fortunate enough to know her; now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
11 Legislature hereby honor Dr. Jacqueline O. Dansby for her
12 contributions to the San Antonio Women's Hall of Fame and extend to
13 her sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and,
14 be it further

15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
16 prepared for Dr. Dansby as an expression of high regard by the Texas
17 House of Representatives.