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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Members of The Woodlands High School Highsteppers 2 drill team have excelled in national competition, and the team 3 earned grand champion honors at the Champion National Dance/Drill 4 Team Competition held on March 7, 2009, in Orlando, Florida; and

5 WHEREAS, The Highsteppers outperformed teams from 10 states 6 to earn the title; the group received a standing ovation from the 7 judges and the highest all-around score, the first perfect 100 in 8 the company's contest history, and was named best in class and 9 category in prop, kick, and open routines; and

10 WHEREAS, The 2008-2009 team has been ably led by officers 11 Kylie Phillips, Alicia Capps, Erin Talley, Sarah Amelunke, Kaileigh 12 Kurtain, Shelby Fancher, Mary Pennington, Megan Senger, Lauren 13 McDougall, and Megan Bundy; and

WHEREAS, The Woodlands High School Highsteppers have demonstrated great commitment, strength, and talent in their preparation for this prestigious event, and it is indeed appropriate that they be commended for their achievements; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas 20 Legislature hereby congratulate The Woodlands High School 21 Highsteppers on being named Grand Champions at the Champion 22 National Dance/Drill Team Competition and extend to all those 23 involved with the group best wishes for continued success; and, be 24 it further

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1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 2 prepared for The Woodlands High School Highsteppers as an 3 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1349 was adopted by the House on April 27, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House