

By: Coleman

H.R. No. 1649

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to
2 recognize Eronn Putman for her outstanding work in the office of
3 Representative Ellen Cohen during the 81st Legislative Session; and

4 WHEREAS, Ms. Putman has distinguished herself as a
5 participant in the Texas Legislative Internship Program (TLIP)
6 administered by the Mickey Leland Center on World Hunger and Peace
7 at Texas Southern University; and

8 WHEREAS, Established in 1990, TLIP provides a unique
9 opportunity for students from Texas colleges and universities to
10 serve as interns in the Texas Legislature, in state agencies, and in
11 local government offices; students receive academic credit for
12 participating in the program, which combines study and research
13 with supervised practical training; Senator Rodney Ellis serves as
14 a program advisor, and his office assists with coordinating on-site
15 activities; and

16 WHEREAS, Ms. Putman is a summa cum laude graduate of the
17 University of Houston, where she earned a bachelor's degree in
18 political science with a minor in African American studies, and she
19 plans to study abroad in Ghana this summer; she has previously
20 worked on Capitol Hill in the office of Congresswoman Sheila
21 Jackson Lee, and she is looking forward to attending law school in
22 the fall; and

23 WHEREAS, During her tenure as a legislative intern,
24 Ms. Putman has gained valuable work experience and firsthand

1 knowledge of the governmental process, while also developing
2 insight into the important issues facing our communities and our
3 state; and

4 WHEREAS, Diligent and resourceful, Eronn Putman has
5 skillfully handled a variety of duties in the office of
6 Representative Cohen and ably assisted in meeting the needs of
7 constituents, and she may reflect proudly on her service as a
8 legislative intern; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
10 Legislature hereby commend Eronn Putman for her tireless dedication
11 and exemplary work as a participant in the Texas Legislative
12 Internship Program and extend to her sincere best wishes for the
13 future; and, be it further

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