By: Coleman H.R. No. 1669

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to

2 recognize Tommy Micah for his outstanding work in the office of

3 Representative Valinda Bolton during the 81st Legislative Session;

4 and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Micah has distinguished himself as a participant

6 in the Texas Legislative Internship Program (TLIP) administered by

7 the Mickey Leland Center on World Hunger and Peace at Texas Southern

8 University; and

9 WHEREAS, Established in 1990, TLIP provides a unique

10 opportunity for students from Texas colleges and universities to

11 serve as interns in the Texas Legislature, in state agencies, and in

12 local government offices; students receive academic credit for

13 participating in the program, which combines study and research

14 with supervised practical training; Senator Rodney Ellis serves as

15 a program advisor, and his office assists with coordinating on-site

16 activities; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Micah is a senior at Baylor University, where he

18 is pursuing a bachelor of arts degree in psychology; he serves as a

19 senior senator and chair of the finance committee in the Baylor

20 student government and performs as a mascot at school events; after

21 completing his degree, Mr. Micah plans to work with the Teach For

22 America program for two years before returning to school to study

23 behavioral science, in preparation for a career working with

24 special needs children; and

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- 1 WHEREAS, During his tenure as a legislative intern, Mr. Micah
- 2 has gained valuable work experience and firsthand knowledge of the
- 3 governmental process, while also developing insight into the
- 4 important issues facing our communities and our state; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Diligent and resourceful, Tommy Micah has
- 6 skillfully handled a variety of duties in the office of
- 7 Representative Bolton and ably assisted in meeting the needs of
- 8 constituents, and he may reflect proudly on his service as a
- 9 legislative intern; now, therefore, be it
- 10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 11 Legislature hereby commend Tommy Micah for his tireless dedication
- 12 and exemplary work as a participant in the Texas Legislative
- 13 Internship Program and extend to him sincere best wishes for the
- 14 future; and, be it further
- 15 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 16 prepared for Mr. Micah as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 17 House of Representatives.