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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Gina Dylla of Sandra Day O'Connor High School in
2 Helotes has been named the 2009 Girls Soccer Coach of the Year by
3 the *San Antonio Express-News*; and

4 WHEREAS, In four years as a head coach, Coach Dylla has
5 compiled an impressive record of 87 wins, 18 losses, and 4 draws;
6 under her inspired leadership, the O'Connor Panthers claimed their
7 first District 28-5A championship in six years and advanced to the
8 third round of the playoffs for only the fourth time in school
9 history; and

10 WHEREAS, After gaining experience at Southwest and Burbank
11 High Schools, Coach Dylla made immediate and sweeping changes to
12 the Panthers team when she became the O'Connor coach at the
13 beginning of the 2008-2009 season, moving players to different
14 positions from those they had previously played; at the end of the
15 season, her rearranged squad held a record of 17 wins and 4 draws
16 with only 3 losses, including a 20-game streak without a loss; and

17 WHEREAS, Exceptional coaches inspire athletes to perform at
18 the peak of their abilities, and Gina Dylla's commitment to
19 excellence indeed makes her a most deserving recipient of this
20 award; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Gina Dylla on being named 2009
23 Girls Soccer Coach of the Year by the *San Antonio Express-News* and
24 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it

1 further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
3 prepared for Coach Dylla as an expression of high regard by the
4 Texas House of Representatives.