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H.R. No. 2519

RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the sorrow felt at 2 the loss of U.S. Army Sergeant Danny Richard Soto, who died on June 3 16, 2007, at the age of 24; and

WHEREAS, Assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 12th Field Artillery
Regiment, 4th Brigade, 2nd Infantry Division, Sergeant Soto was
killed while bravely serving his country in Iraq; and

WHEREAS, A native of Honduras, Danny Soto moved to Texas with his family at the age of 11; a loving husband and father, he brought joy and laughter into the lives of his family and friends; and

10 WHEREAS, Sergeant Soto exemplified the highest ideals of the 11 United States armed forces, inspiring others with his leadership 12 and courage; although he is deeply missed, he will forever be 13 treasured in the hearts of his loved ones; now, therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas 15 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of U.S. Army Sergeant 16 Danny Richard Soto and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his 17 family: to his wife, Vanessa; to his son, Jonathan Raymond Soto; to 18 his mother, Marina Horsford; to his sisters, Marci and Joanna Soto; 19 and to his other relatives and many friends; and, be it further

20 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 21 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of 22 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of U.S. Army 23 Sergeant Danny Richard Soto.

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