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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Texas House of Representatives is pleased to

2 honor Katherine Butler for her outstanding work as an intern in the

3 office of State Representative Debbie Riddle; and

WHEREAS, Katherine Butler possesses the rare ability to be

5 completely at ease with individuals from every walk of life, and she

is as adept at dealing with outspoken personalities as she is at

7 drawing out more reserved individuals; throughout the session, no

8 matter how crowded or crazy the office became, she was unfailingly

9 gracious and welcoming of visitors; time and again, legislative

10 staffers had a bad day turned around by a conversation with this

11 relentlessly perky young woman; and

12 WHEREAS, Ms. Butler's warmth and vivacity were more than

13 matched by her effectiveness at whatever job she undertook; she was

consistently reliable in dealing with research and constituent

15 correspondence; indeed, apart from her uncharacteristic defeat by

16 the LMS Bill Tracking System and her inexplicable affinity for

17 McDonald's, she was one of the all-time stars in the office, making

18 her a shoo-in for taking over if the chief of staff had proven

19 unable to complete his reign and setting the bar very high for

20 future interns; and

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21 WHEREAS, Despite her unique ability to summon inclement

22 weather repeatedly on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, her coworkers

23 forecast nothing but blue skies ahead for this talented Texan; now a

24 bona fide college graduate, Katherine Butler will continue to win

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- 1 the affection and admiration of all who are privileged to work with
- 2 her in the years to come, and it is most fitting to recognize her for
- 3 a job well done; now, therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 5 Legislature hereby commend Katherine Butler for her service as an
- 6 intern in the office of State Representative Debbie Riddle and
- 7 extend to her sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further
- 8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 9 prepared for Ms. Butler as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 10 House of Representatives.