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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce is holding
- 2 its second annual Health Summit and Business Expo on September 30,
- 3 2009; and
- WHEREAS, The HHCC is the leading advocate in the region for
- 5 the economic and civic interests of the Hispanic business
- 6 community; since its founding 30 years ago, this organization has
- 7 gone from being one of the smallest chambers of commerce in Texas to
- 8 one of the largest; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Reflecting the dramatic growth of the city's
- 10 Hispanic population, which has doubled since 1990, the chamber's
- 11 membership has also increased spectacularly, rising from 500 to
- 12 2,800 members over the past two years; in keeping with its
- 13 burgeoning strength, the organization has recently relocated to a
- 14 new building in downtown Houston; and
- WHEREAS, The chamber's annual Health Summit and Business Expo
- 16 enables individual members and companies to come together in a
- 17 dynamic setting to exchange information and insights, to showcase
- 18 their products and services, and to forge new relationships and
- 19 renew old ones; and
- WHEREAS, Contributing to the growth of Houston even during
- 21 difficult times, the HHCC's annual Health Summit and Business Expo
- 22 is a highlight of the Bayou City's business calendar and truly
- 23 worthy of recognition; now, therefore, be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby commemorate the second annual Health Summit and
- 2 Business Expo of the Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and
- 3 extend to the chamber and the expo's sponsors and attendees sincere
- 4 best wishes for an exciting and informative event; and, be it
- 5 further
- 6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 7 prepared for the Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce as an
- 8 expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.