## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 771

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Velma Ann Edwards for her outstanding success as an exemplary mother; and

WHEREAS, Velma Ann Edwards is the proud mother of two grown daughters, Rhonda Milton and Marquelyn Ward; during their childhood, she made many sacrifices to ensure that they would have not just the essentials, but everything they needed to reach their goals in life; and

WHEREAS, Strong-willed and determined, she consistently protected the welfare of her daughters and instilled in them a positive sense of self-esteem and a loving character; with their kindness, compassion, and enduring faith, they have rewarded her with the knowledge that her many efforts have borne fruit; and

WHEREAS, With encouragement, discipline, and enduring love for her daughters, she has dedicated her life to being the best mother she could be; she is truly deserving of recognition for her devotion to her daughters and her success in creating the lasting and cherished bonds that hold together this close-knit family; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend Velma Ann Edwards on her commitment to motherhood and extend to her best wishes for continued success in all her endeavors; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Gallegos

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on April 29, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate