SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 887

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Linda V. Boas, who is retiring after 34 years of outstanding service with the Houston Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, Linda Boas began her career with the Houston Independent School District as a teacher and Title I coordinator at Franklin Elementary School; she has gone on to hold many important teaching and administrative positions with the district, including bilingual instructional supervisor, district director, and principal; and

WHEREAS, Devoted to the district and her work, Linda has been dedicated to providing a superior learning environment for students in the Houston community; and

WHEREAS, Through her wisdom, experience, and professionalism, she has been a positive influence in the lives of countless students; and

WHEREAS, Talented and resourceful, she has handled her many responsibilities with exceptional efficiency and dedication; she has participated in many professional organizations through the years, including the Association of Hispanic School Administrators, the Texas Association of Elementary School Principals, and the Texas Association of Teachers of Math; and

WHEREAS, The Houston community has benefited greatly from the diligence and generous spirit of this skilled educator, and her presence at the Houston Independent School District will be deeply missed; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend Linda V. Boas on her many contributions to the Houston Independent School District and extend to her best wishes for continued success in all her future endeavors; and, be it further

 ${\tt RESOLVED}$, 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 May 11, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate