SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 965

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Alma Tamayo, who is retiring after nearly 30 years of outstanding service to the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts; and

WHEREAS, Alma began her career with the comptroller's office in 1979 as an administrative clerk providing taxpayer service in the field office in her hometown of El Paso; she was promoted in 1984 and became an enforcement officer, responsible for enforcing tax laws, conducting roadside inspections of trucker permits, and presenting taxpayer seminars; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of her career, Alma has been noted for her diligence and her analytical expertise; in 1986, she was transferred to the Austin Field Office, and she moved into the Headquarters Collections Support section as a systems analyst in 1987; she soon became a valued member of the Automated Collection System project team, which led her to the Systems Administration section, where she remained for the next 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Alma has proven herself to be a skilled and resourceful employee, providing systems development, performing analytical research, and maintaining programming support for the Enforcement Division and the executive administration; and

WHEREAS, Alma is an exceptional public servant and has earned the respect and esteem of her colleagues, and she will be greatly missed in the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 81st Legislature, hereby commend Alma Tamayo on her many years of exemplary service to our state and the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts and extend to her best wishes for her retirement years; and, be it further

retirement years; and, be it further **RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

Watson

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 20, 2009.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate