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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The death of Rio Grande City police officer Robert
- 2 A. Ramirez on April 28, 2011, at the age of 51, has deeply saddened
- 3 his many loved ones; and
- WHEREAS, The son of Calixtra and Rene Rodrigo Ramirez, Robert
- 5 Ramirez began his career in law enforcement as a deputy with the
- 6 Starr County Sheriff's Office in 1987; he joined the Texas
- 7 Department of Criminal Justice as a prison guard in Beeville in
- 8 1994, and the following year, he went to work for the Rio Grande
- 9 City Police Department; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Among the first group of officers to patrol the
- 11 city's streets, this outstanding professional was promoted to
- 12 patrol sergeant in 1998; he was eventually named sergeant
- 13 detective, and his duties included serving as a supervisor in the
- 14 Criminal Investigation Department; he planned to retire in August
- 15 2011; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Robert Ramirez enjoyed the love and support of his
- 17 wife, Diana Gutierrez, and their four daughters, Veronica, Valerie,
- 18 Brenda, and Angelica; and
- 19 WHEREAS, A devoted family man and an exemplary public
- 20 servant, Sergeant Detective Robert Ramirez will long be remembered
- 21 by all those who were fortunate enough to know him; now, therefore,
- 22 be it
- 23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
- 24 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the life of

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- 1 Sergeant Detective Robert A. Ramirez and extend sincere
- 2 condolences to the members of his family: to his wife, Diana
- 3 Gutierrez; to his daughters, Veronica and her husband, Andrae,
- 4 Valerie, Brenda and her husband, Rolando, and Angelica; to his
- 5 mother, Calixtra; to his siblings, Raul and his wife, Olga, Rene and
- 6 his wife, Araceli, Rosendo and his wife, Dana, Romeo, Rebece and her
- 7 husband, David, Rolando and his wife, Dora, and Ramiro; to his four
- 8 grandchildren; and to his other relatives and friends; and, be it
- 9 further
- 10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 11 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 12 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Robert
- 13 A. Ramirez.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 135 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on June 28, 2011.

Chief Clerk of the House