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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Shannon K. McClendon of Dripping Springs completed
2 an outstanding tenure on the Texas Board of Professional Engineers
3 in January 2011; and

4 WHEREAS, Appointed by Governor Rick Perry to the TBPE in
5 December 2002, she benefited the board as a member of its licensing,
6 legislative issues, and general issues committees, and she further
7 distinguished herself as interim secretary during July and August
8 2008 and as board secretary from August 2008 until January 2011; and

9 WHEREAS, This accomplished Texan previously served the state
10 as a member of the board of directors of the Electric Reliability
11 Council of Texas and as the residential consumer representative on
12 that organization's Technical Advisory Committee; and

13 WHEREAS, After earning her bachelor's degree from the
14 University of Houston--Clear Lake, Ms. McClendon worked at NASA,
15 Texas Instruments, and Texas A&M University before earning her law
16 degree from the University of Houston; now a private attorney
17 specializing in the electric industry, she has served as senior
18 regulatory counsel for the Texas-New Mexico Power Company and as
19 associate public counsel at the Texas Office of Public Utility
20 Counsel; and

21 WHEREAS, In addition to her busy professional life, Ms.
22 McClendon has been a board member of the Hill Country Republican
23 Women PAC, president of the University of Houston Alumni
24 Association--Austin UH Club, and vice president of the Texas

1 Ratepayers' Organization to Save Energy; she is also a member of the
2 State Bar of Texas, the Gulf Coast Power Association, and the Lady
3 Bird Johnson Wildflower Center; and

4 WHEREAS, Shannon McClendon's leadership during her tenure on
5 the TBPE has greatly benefited her fellow Texans, and she may indeed
6 reflect with pride on her contributions to the board's important
7 work; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
9 Legislature hereby commend Shannon K. McClendon for her exemplary
10 service on the Texas Board of Professional Engineers and extend to
11 her sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and,
12 be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Ms. McClendon as an expression of high regard by the
15 Texas House of Representatives.