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H.R. No. 689

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, For 35 years, educator Alice Ramirez has been giving
2 young Texans a great start in life at the Discovery School of San
3 Antonio; and

4 WHEREAS, Alice Ramirez began her career at the Discovery
5 School in 1976; guided by her belief that every child is a blessing,
6 she has dedicated herself to inspiring a love of learning in all the
7 students who have spent time in her classroom over the years;
8 whether she is helping them with crafts, reading them a story, or
9 teaching them a song, Ms. Ramirez does so with a joy and an
10 enthusiasm that make learning fun; and

11 WHEREAS, The Discovery School of San Antonio has offered
12 preschool education for children in the metropolitan area since
13 1974; governed by a volunteer parent board of directors, this
14 private, nonprofit, multidenominational preschool has an
15 enrollment of more than 175 children ages two through seven; it is
16 accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young
17 Children, which assesses factors such as excellence in curriculum,
18 interactions among staff, children, and parents, physical
19 environment, staffing, and health and safety; and

20 WHEREAS, Education is an endeavor in which all Texans have a
21 stake, and individuals such as Alice Ramirez who devote themselves
22 to the nurturing and development of our young people are helping to
23 ensure that the future of the Lone Star State rests in capable
24 hands; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
2 Legislature hereby recognize April 13, 2011, as Alice Ramirez Day
3 and commend Ms. Ramirez on her 35th anniversary at the Discovery
4 School of San Antonio; and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for Ms. Ramirez as an expression of high regard by the
7 Texas House of Representatives.