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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Elizabeth Lester has been named the 2010 Student 2 Ambassador of the Year by People to People Ambassador Programs; and 3 WHEREAS, An eighth grader at Forestwood Middle School in Flower Mound, Miss Lester was awarded the honor for her leadership 4 5 ability and community service as well as for a powerful essay she wrote based on her experience as a Student Ambassador in the 6 7 European Discovery program; for her achievement, she has earned full tuition and airfare toward the 2011 travel experience of her 8 9 choice; and

10 WHEREAS, Founded in 1956 by President Dwight D. Eisenhower, 11 People to People Ambassador Programs was created to promote peace 12 and understanding among citizens around the world; through the 13 decades, this exceptional initiative has worked to bridge cultural 14 and political borders through education and exchange among young 15 Americans and their counterparts in other nations; and

16 WHEREAS, The insights and experience that Miss Lester has 17 gained through her travel with People to People Student Ambassador 18 Programs will help her immeasurably throughout her life, and she is 19 truly deserving of special recognition for her achievements; now, 20 therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Elizabeth Lester on being named the 23 2010 Student Ambassador of the Year by People to People Ambassador 24 Programs and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued

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1 success; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 3 prepared for Miss Lester as an expression of high regard by the 4 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 976 was adopted by the House on April 7, 2011, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House