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H.R. No. 1285

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, No words can diminish the pain caused by a life cut
2 short, but those who shared in the love and friendship of Barrett
3 Neill Minor of Lorena may find comfort in their memories of this
4 special young man, who passed away on March 13, 2011, at the age of
5 27; and

6 WHEREAS, The son of Mark and Teresa Minor, Mr. Minor was born
7 in Temple on March 1, 1984; he graduated from Lorena High School,
8 where he took fourth place in power lifting during his senior year;
9 after earning his bachelor's degree in environmental studies and
10 earth science from Baylor University, Mr. Minor entered the
11 workforce and was employed by UPS in Waco; and

12 WHEREAS, He married Sarah Terrell in Salado in 2007 and was
13 the proud father of a son, Jackson; sharing many happy times with
14 his little boy, Mr. Minor often took him to "Papi Ranch" to search
15 for treasures with a metal detector, hike in the woods, ride the
16 tractor and four-wheelers, throw rocks in the creek, and put out
17 deer corn; he also enjoyed taking his son fishing; and

18 WHEREAS, An avid outdoorsman, Mr. Minor loved snow skiing and
19 hunting with his father and brother, and he never failed to observe
20 the tradition of spending opening day of deer season in the same
21 blind with his dad; Mr. Minor was a talented cook as well and
22 lavished his full attention on the task of seasoning and preparing
23 the perfect steak; and

24 WHEREAS, Barrett Minor treasured the company of his loved

1 ones, and the joy he brought them in turn ensures his enduring place
2 in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
4 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Barrett Neill Minor
5 and extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
6 wife, Sarah; to his son, Jackson Minor; to his parents, Mark and
7 Teresa Minor; to his brother, Brady Minor; to his grandparents, Ann
8 Minor and Jim and Dickie Williamson; to his great-aunts, Alta Leath
9 and Linda Minor; and to his many other relatives and friends; and,
10 be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
13 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Barrett
14 Minor.