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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The loved ones of U.S. Air Force Captain Nathan J.
2 Nylander of Hockley suffered an immeasurable loss with the death of
3 this valiant soldier on April 27, 2011, at the age of 35; and

4 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 25th Operational Weather Squadron,
5 Captain Nylander was killed while bravely serving his country in
6 Afghanistan; and

7 WHEREAS, Born on January 23, 1976, in Illinois, he joined the
8 military soon after his graduation from Waller High School in 1994;
9 his efforts earned him a number of honors, including the
10 Meritorious Service Medal, the Air Force Combat Action Medal, the
11 Purple Heart, and the Bronze Star; and

12 WHEREAS, Captain Nylander was devoted to and adored by his
13 family, which included his wife, Miriam, and his three children,
14 Tyler, Andru, and Elisabeth; and

15 WHEREAS, Through his unwavering dedication to duty and honor,
16 Nathan Nylander embodied the highest ideals of the United States
17 armed forces, and his fellow citizens owe him a debt of gratitude
18 that the passage of time can never diminish; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
20 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of U.S. Air Force Captain
21 Nathan J. Nylander and extend deepest sympathy to the members of his
22 family: to his wife, Miriam Nylander; to his children, Tyler,
23 Andru, and Elisabeth Nylander; to his mother, Mary Grant, and her
24 husband, Charles Grant; to his father, Wendell Nylander, and his

1 wife, Carol Nylander; to his sisters, Nikki Kelly and Tara Norris;
2 to his stepbrother, Chris Bivens; and to his other relatives and
3 many friends; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
6 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of U.S. Air
7 Force Captain Nathan J. Nylander.