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## RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, High school graduation is one of life's pivotal 2 milestones, and Michael Thomas Criaco participated in that joyful 3 tradition when he graduated from St. Thomas High School in Houston 4 on May 21, 2011; and

5 WHEREAS, Although the members of the Class of 2011 will now go 6 their separate ways, the time that they have shared at St. Thomas 7 High has created a lasting bond, and the knowledge and experiences 8 that Mr. Criaco has gained there will forever enrich his life; and

9 WHEREAS, Earning his high school diploma has required hard 10 work and dedication, and Mr. Criaco can reflect with pride on the 11 perseverance he has demonstrated in the pursuit of his goals; the 12 son of Mary and Adam Criaco, he excelled in his studies, earning a 13 Trinity University Dean's Scholarship, a DePaul University 14 Scholars' Award, and a special achievement award in physics from 15 St. Thomas; and

16 WHEREAS, Accepted to Fordham University in New York, this 17 outstanding young Texan may look forward with anticipation to the 18 exciting challenges and opportunities that lie ahead, and it is 19 truly a pleasure to recognize him as he prepares to embark on a 20 future bright with promise; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Michael Thomas Criaco on his graduation from St. Thomas High School and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
prepared for Mr. Criaco as an expression of high regard by the Texas
House of Representatives.