By: Fraser

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Texas is pleased to 3 recognize the Hardin-Simmons University women's soccer team, which 4 won the 2010 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III 5 national championship title; and

6 WHEREAS, The Cowgirls won the university's first Division III 7 national championship with a record of 24-0-1, outscoring their 8 opponents 113-6 over the course of the season; and

9 WHEREAS, These young athletes have demonstrated great talent 10 and perseverance through the year; they have with pride and 11 determination carried on the outstanding tradition of this 12 exemplary program, which has won eight consecutive conference 13 titles and owns a 132-game unbeaten streak in conference play; and

14 WHEREAS, Under the superior leadership and expertise of Coach 15 Marcus Wood, who was named Division III women's soccer coach of the 16 year, the Cowgirls have developed exceptional teamwork and 17 discipline; and

18 WHEREAS, Team members have exemplified the model of the 19 student-athlete throughout the year; four Cowgirls were named 20 Scholar All-Americans, and the team's cumulative grade point 21 average was better than 3.50; and

22 WHEREAS, The students, faculty, staff, and alumni of 23 Hardin-Simmons University are proud of the Cowgirls for their hard 24 work, their impressive skills, and their fine sportsmanship; now,

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1 therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the 82nd Legislature of the State of Texas 3 hereby commend the Hardin-Simmons University Cowgirls soccer team 4 on its exceptional season and extend congratulations to team 5 members and coaches on winning the National Collegiate Athletic 6 Association Division III national championship title; and, be it 7 further

8 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be prepared for the 9 team as an expression of esteem from the Texas Legislature.