

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Bradford S. Wheeler for his many years of loyal service to the citizens of this country through his career with the Federal Bureau of Investigation and his ongoing work fighting crime in the Dallas-Fort Worth area; and

WHEREAS, Bradford Wheeler graduated from Texas Tech University with a bachelor of business administration degree and a major in accounting; he was appointed as a special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in July of 1976 and served for three decades, retiring in December of 2005; and

WHEREAS, During his career with the bureau, he served in the Oklahoma City, New Orleans, Miami, Fort Lauderdale, Dallas, and Fort Worth offices and specialized in white-collar crime, including bank fraud and embezzlement, health care fraud, securities fraud, mortgage fraud, Ponzi schemes, advance fee schemes, and public corruption; he was involved in several high-profile investigations, and his work led to indictments and convictions in numerous complex cases; and

WHEREAS, After retiring from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, he helped initiate an investigative unit at a major law firm in Dallas; in 2007 he joined the Economic Crimes Unit in the office of the Tarrant County Criminal District Attorney in Fort Worth, where he has worked in a variety of economic crime investigations; he currently focuses on mortgage fraud cases; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his career, Mr. Wheeler has earned numerous commendations; a man of integrity and dedication, he has earned the respect and admiration of his colleagues and the citizens in the Dallas and Tarrant County communities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby commend Bradford S. Wheeler for his exceptional service and his many contributions to this country and the State of Texas; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 13, 2011.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate