

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 158

**WHEREAS**, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to pay tribute to H. Ron White on the grand occasion of his 70th birthday, which is being celebrated in Dallas on February 11, 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, Ron White is the partner-in-charge of the Dallas office of Yoss White and Wiggins law firm and serves on numerous boards of directors; he graduated from Hampton University in Virginia in 1962 and served as an officer in the United States Army in Germany and Vietnam for six years before earning a law degree from Howard University in 1971; and

**WHEREAS**, He has more than 30 years of experience as a litigator and has also served as a mediator since 1989; he has served as lead counsel in complex litigation on behalf of Fortune 500 corporations as well as governmental entities, and he is general counsel for a number of businesses and for the Dallas-Fort Worth chapter of the Association of Trial Lawyers of America; and

**WHEREAS**, He is a former district court judge, a long-standing member of the Texas Bar College, and a Life Fellow in the Texas Bar Foundation and the National Bar Association; he is a founding member of the Texas General Counsel Forum; and

**WHEREAS**, The many accolades Mr. White has earned include being selected as Trial Lawyer of the Year in 2004 by the Dallas Bar Association and receiving the Dallas Bar Foundation Fellows Award in 2006; Ron White is indeed an exemplary role model and a highly respected leader in the Dallas community; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas hereby recognize H. Ron White as a treasured citizen of the State of Texas and congratulate him on his 70th birthday; 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 31, 2011.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate