SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 323

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize the students of DeVry University for their dedication to acquiring the knowledge they need to solve the problems and address the issues that affect their fellow Texans; and

WHEREAS, DeVry University has been a leader in the field of career-oriented education for 80 years, helping students succeed in the classroom and workplace by offering focused, hands-on education in emerging vocational areas of business, technology, and management; and

WHEREAS, DeVry University has had a presence in Texas since 1969, offering tailored curricula and degree programs to match industry demand and to give students the skills they need to begin and enhance successful careers; and

WHEREAS, An example of DeVry University's commitment to the practical application of knowledge is the project of seniors Jimmy Espinoza, Luis Soriano, and William Campoverde, who have worked with rangers of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department to develop an emergency survival backpack that implements environmentally sound, renewable energy technologies and allows the user to recharge vital portable equipment; and

WHEREAS, DeVry University has had a profound impact on the lives of many Texans, and it is truly deserving of recognition as it celebrates 80 years of service; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby commend the students, faculty, and staff of DeVry University on their commitment to excellence in education and extend to them best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

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

Gallegos, Whitmire

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 28, 2011.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate

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