SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1191

In Memory of Angelina G. Garcia

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of longtime educator Angelina G. Garcia, who died March 24, 2011, at the age of 69; and

WHEREAS, Angelina was born in Laredo to Juan and Angelina Gomez on November 2, 1941; she graduated from Saint Augustine Catholic School in 1960 as valedictorian of her class; she married Miguel R. Garcia on August 6, 1961; and

WHEREAS, She earned a bachelor of arts degree in education and a master's degree in English from The University of Texas at Austin; during her 44-year career as an educator, she taught first grade through seventh grade and worked tirelessly to help her students achieve their full potential; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Garcia was an exceptionally dedicated teacher who valued education second only to her family; her passion for teaching and her strong belief in its benefits left a lasting impression on thousands of students and inspired all who knew her; and

WHEREAS, Angelina Garcia was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, and she leaves behind memories that will be treasured forever by her family, her many friends, and the countless young people whose lives she touched; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Angelina G. Garcia: her husband, Miguel R. Garcia; her children, Sara Gallardo, Ana Garcia-McNeill, and John Michael Garcia; her mother, Angelina G. Gomez; her sister, Rosa Elia Luna; her brother, Juan Manual Gomez; and her grandchildren, Laura and Mark Gallardo, John and Jake McNeill, and Tiffany Garcia; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Angelina G. Garcia.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 25, 2011, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate