

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Linda Linder of Houston retired from Second Baptist  
2 School on May 29, 2013, concluding a distinguished career in  
3 education that spanned nearly 35 years; and

4           WHEREAS, A Houston native, the former Linda Jeanne Marmion  
5 grew up in the Garden Oaks neighborhood and graduated from Waltrip  
6 High School; she went on to attend The University of Texas at  
7 Austin, where she served as vice president of Delta Gamma and as a  
8 freshman and summer orientation advisor; in addition, she was a  
9 member of the Cordettes, the honorary auxiliary for the Army ROTC;  
10 she earned a bachelor's degree in elementary education, and after  
11 completing her master's degree in counseling and guidance at the  
12 University of Houston, she began teaching sixth grade in the  
13 Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District; and

14           WHEREAS, She was joined in matrimony to Gerald A. Linder, and  
15 through the years, they became the proud parents of two children,  
16 Stephanie and Mark; Mrs. Linder devoted herself entirely to her  
17 home and family while her son and daughter were young, and after  
18 they were enrolled at Second Baptist School, she joined the faculty  
19 there; over the course of her 30-year tenure, she helped countless  
20 young Texans build a strong foundation for future success; she also  
21 strove to provide spiritual guidance and to instill in them a sense  
22 of patriotism as well as an interest in the history of their city  
23 and state; and

24           WHEREAS, Linda Linder opened new vistas of opportunity for

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1 the many students whose lives she touched, and she may indeed  
2 reflect with pride on her outstanding record of achievement; now,  
3 therefore, be it

4       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
5 Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby congratulate Linda Linder  
6 on her retirement from Second Baptist School and extend to her  
7 sincere best wishes for continued happiness; and, be it further

8       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for Mrs. Linder as an expression of high regard by the  
10 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 70 was adopted by the House on July 25, 2013, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House