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By: Menendez

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Words cannot express the heartache felt at the loss 2 of U.S. Army Staff Sergeant Kashif M. Memon of Houston, who died 3 while bravely serving his country on October 25, 2012, at the age of 4 31; and

5 WHEREAS, Assigned to the 96th Civil Affairs Battalion 6 (Airborne), 95th Civil Affairs Brigade (Airborne), Fort Bragg, 7 North Carolina, Staff Sergeant Memon lost his life in Uruzgan 8 Province, Afghanistan; and

9 WHEREAS, Americans owe a profound debt of gratitude to this 10 nation's servicemen and servicewomen, who make immeasurable 11 sacrifices for their country and who risk their very lives in its 12 behalf; and

WHEREAS, Exemplifying the highest ideals of the U.S. armed forces, Kashif M. Memon inspired others with his fortitude, tenacity, and courage; although his death leaves a void in the lives of his loved ones, they will forever carry memories of this heroic Texan close in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the 83rd Legislature of the State of Texas 19 hereby pay tribute to the life of Staff Sergeant Kashif M. Memon and 20 extend sincere sympathy to all those who mourn his passing; and, be 21 it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of Representatives and Senate adjourn this day, they do so in memory of

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1 U.S. Army Staff Sergeant Kashif M. Memon.