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H.R. No. 342

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Yash Patel, a junior at Hebron High School in
2 Carrollton, has scored a perfect 2400 on the SAT, and this rare feat
3 is indeed deserving of recognition; and

4 WHEREAS, Ranked second in academics in his class of 800
5 students, Mr. Patel challenges himself with a demanding course load
6 that includes numerous advanced placement classes; he is a student
7 representative with the National Honor Society and a tutor with the
8 Science National Honor Society, and he has been nominated for
9 several student excellence awards by his teachers; and

10 WHEREAS, The president of the Hebron High Latin Club, Mr.
11 Patel has won first place in area and state language competitions
12 and represented his school at a 2012 national event, where he placed
13 third in the vocabulary portion of the contest; his extracurricular
14 activities also include the school tennis team and DECA, and he is a
15 first-degree black belt in tae kwon do; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Patel takes part in a variety of service
17 activities as well, and during the summer preceding his junior
18 year, he worked at a hospital in a rural area of India; in addition,
19 he has devoted more than 100 hours to volunteer duties at Baylor
20 Dallas hospital and has assisted at the Dallas Marathon and
21 participated in charitable benefit walks for various causes; and

22 WHEREAS, A source of great pride to his family and his
23 community, Yash Patel has demonstrated exceptional initiative and
24 maturity in pursuing his academic goals, and he may take

1 justifiable pride in his many achievements; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
3 Legislature hereby congratulate Yash Patel on attaining a perfect
4 score on the SAT and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued
5 success; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Mr. Patel as an expression of high regard by the Texas
8 House of Representatives.