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H.R. No. 1142

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, March 2013 was a special month for Geneva and Calvin
2 Ebner of Deweyville as March 19 marked their 63rd wedding
3 anniversary and March 17 was Mrs. Ebner's 81st birthday; and

4 WHEREAS, A native of China, Texas, the former "Ginny" Borque
5 married Cal Ebner in 1950, two days after she turned 18; through the
6 years, they have been blessed with a treasured family that includes
7 5 children, 12 grandchildren, and numerous great-grandchildren;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Ebner worked as a maintenance mechanic for the
10 Houston Chemical Company in Beaumont for more than 30 years before
11 retiring in 1993, while Mrs. Ebner has been a dedicated homemaker;
12 together, they are respected members of their community who have
13 enhanced the lives of their fellow citizens in myriad ways; and

14 WHEREAS, The couple are longtime members of the First Baptist
15 Church of Deweyville, where Mr. Ebner teaches Sunday school and has
16 served as president of the deacon board, as Sunday school
17 superintendent, and as chair of the building committee; he has also
18 distinguished himself as chair of the Newton County Republican
19 Party since 1981, and he is president of the Newton County
20 Republican Club; in addition to supporting her family members in
21 their many endeavors, Mrs. Ebner enjoys quilting and making jelly;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, The 63 years of marriage that Mr. and Mrs. Ebner
24 have shared is eloquent affirmation of the meaning of love and

1 commitment, and their enduring union is an inspiration to all who
2 know them; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
4 Legislature hereby honor Ginny and Cal Ebner on their 63rd wedding
5 anniversary and congratulate Mrs. Ebner on her 81st birthday; and,
6 be it further

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