

By: Springer

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, During the 83rd Legislative Session, Mark
2 Thorne-Thomsen has ably served his fellow Texans as a member
3 of 'Team Springer' in the Texas House of Representatives; and

4 WHEREAS, Since joining the staff, Mr. Thorne-Thomsen has
5 contributed to the workings of state government firsthand; in
6 addition to learning more about the legislative process and the
7 issues facing citizens of the Lone Star State, he has gained
8 valuable work experience in the field of public service,
9 researching and reviewing legislation and ensuring optimal
10 communication with district constituents; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Thorne-Thomsen previously worked as a
12 government affairs analyst for BNSF Railway in Washington, D.C.,
13 and interned with Berry Communications as a campaign researcher;
14 more recently, he helped set up fund-raising events, grassroots
15 outreach programs, and direct mail strategies for the historic
16 campaign of U.S. Senator Ted Cruz; and

17 WHEREAS, In addition to his legislative work,
18 Mr. Thorne-Thomsen is actively involved in campus life at The
19 University of Texas, where he is a member of the Silver Spurs and
20 Kappa Sigma Fraternity; he is receiving his bachelor's degree in
21 government in May 2013; and

22 WHEREAS, This noteworthy young Texan has performed his duties
23 as a legislative assistant with skill and dedication, and he is
24 indeed deserving of special recognition for his fine work as he

1 moves on to pursue his career at Oracle in California; now,
2 therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
4 Legislature hereby commend Mark Thorne-Thomsen for his service as a
5 legislative assistant in the office of State Representative Drew
6 Springer and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued
7 success in all his endeavors; and, be it further

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