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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, A life filled with meaningful accomplishments drew
- 2 to a close with the passing of David George Luckstead of Corpus
- 3 Christi on March 14, 2013, at the age of 81; and
- WHEREAS, Born in 1931 in Charlotte, Iowa, Mr. Luckstead was
- 5 the son of Edwin and Luella Luckstead; he served in the United
- 6 States Army as a combat engineer and a paratrooper, and he later
- 7 earned a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from Iowa State
- 8 University, where he was a member of the Tau Beta Pi honor society;
- 9 he settled in Corpus Christi around 1960 and earned his living for
- 10 many years as a financial consultant; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mr. Luckstead was preceded in death by his wife, Eva
- 12 Sanchez Luckstead, and he was the father of six children, Erica,
- 13 Mark, Linda, Lee, Jon, and Lisa; with the passing years, his family
- 14 grew to include three grandchildren, Joanna, Daniel, and Hayden;
- 15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, Mr. Luckstead took great enjoyment in travel and had
- 17 the opportunity to visit Monaco, Brazil, and South Africa; other
- 18 highlights of his life included his efforts to help found the Corpus
- 19 Christi Botanical Gardens and his participation in walkathons on
- 20 Padre Island; and
- 21 WHEREAS, David Luckstead treasured the time he spent in the
- 22 company of his family and friends, and those he leaves behind will
- 23 in turn cherish their memories of this kind and caring man, who
- 24 shared many wonderful stories with them through the years; now,

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- 1 therefore, be it
- 2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 3 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of David George
- 4 Luckstead and extend sincere sympathy to the members of his family:
- 5 to his children, Erica, Mark, Lee, Jon, and Lisa Luckstead and Linda
- 6 Benskin; to his grandchildren, Joanna and Daniel Benskin and Hayden
- 7 West; to his brother, Jon Daniel Luckstead; to his first wife,
- 8 Ingrid Lansford; to his niece, Amy Luckstead DeMint; to his
- 9 brothers-in-law, Tony and David Sanchez, and to Tony's children,
- 10 Eva Marie Leyva and Paula Sanchez; and to his other relatives and
- 11 friends; and, be it further
- 12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 13 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 14 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of David
- 15 Luckstead.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2223 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 22, 2013.

Chief Clerk of the House