R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Those young people who give of their time and
2 talents to assist in the demanding work of the Texas Legislature are
3 truly deserving of our gratitude and admiration, and Jessica Kolmer
4 is one such individual; and

5 WHEREAS, Originally from Washington, D.C., Ms. Kolmer served
6 as a legislative intern in the office of State Representative
7 Elliott Naishtat from January to May 2013, and her commitment,
8 dedication, and perseverance were always greatly appreciated by her
9 colleagues; and

10 WHEREAS, The expertise brought by Ms. Kolmer in the area of
11 health and human services was particularly valuable to both
12 Representative Naishtat's staff and his constituents, and in
13 assisting citizens and advocates alike with questions relating to
14 these areas, she saw firsthand the ability of public officials to
15 have an impact on policy; and

16 WHEREAS, Ms. Kolmer has received her master of science degree
17 in social work from the School of Social Work at The University of
18 Texas at Austin, and her hands-on experience with the workings of
19 state government will no doubt empower her to thrive as a
20 macro-social worker; and

21 WHEREAS, Although the end of her tenure is bittersweet, her
22 colleagues share her excitement in a future that is illuminated
23 with promise; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas

1 Legislature hereby honor Jessica Kolmer for her service as a

2 legislative intern with the Texas House of Representatives and

3 extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success and

4 happiness; and, be it further

5   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

6 prepared for Ms. Kolmer as an expression of high regard by the Texas

7 House of Representatives.

Naishtat

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2271 was adopted by the House on May 22, 2013, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House