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H.R. No. 2610

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of
2 mutual devotion and shared experiences, and Vantso and Sandra
3 Bailey of Lorena celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage
4 on April 26, 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Vantso Bailey immigrated to the United States from
6 Macedonia in 1957 and met the former Sandra Schrader at the Hob Nob
7 in Waco; they were joined in matrimony in 1963, and through the
8 years, they have been blessed with a treasured family that includes
9 three children, Troy, Rhonda, and Renee, as well as six
10 grandchildren; and

11 WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Mr. and
12 Mrs. Bailey founded Van Arts Company in 1967, and the couple still
13 own and operate the business today; in addition to meeting their
14 career and family responsibilities, they have been valued members
15 of the Beacon Hill Baptist Church for more than 40 years; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey have enjoyed half a century of
17 abiding love and affection for each other, and they are among an
18 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting
19 commitment; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
21 Legislature hereby congratulate Vantso and Sandra Bailey on their
22 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes
23 for continued happiness; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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1 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Bailey as an expression of high regard by
2 the Texas House of Representatives.