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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Ernest Morales has been named a 2013 Dr. Hector P.
Garcia Scholar by the Dr. Hector P. Garcia Founding Chapter of the
American G.I. Forum of Texas; and

WHEREAS, The American G.I. Forum was established by this 4 5 esteemed civil rights pioneer and education advocate, whose motto was "Education is our freedom, and freedom should be everybody's 6 7 business"; since 1948, the founding chapter has awarded more than \$250,000 to college-bound students in the Coastal Bend region; 8 9 scholarship applicants must have a grade point average of at least 2.5 and must submit an original essay on how the achievements of 10 11 Dr. Garcia have contributed to their lives; and

12 WHEREAS, The son of proud parents Ernest and Patricia 13 Morales, Ernest Morales is a senior at Carroll High School in Corpus 14 Christi and plans to attend Texas A&M University--Corpus Christi 15 after graduation; and

16 WHEREAS, This noteworthy young Texan has worked toward his 17 goals with great diligence and determination, and his 18 accomplishments are a source of tremendous pride to his family and 19 school; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas 21 Legislature hereby congratulate Ernest Morales on his selection as 22 a 2013 Dr. Hector P. Garcia Scholar and extend to him sincere best 23 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

24 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

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H.R. No. 27311 prepared for Mr. Morales as an expression of high regard by the2 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2731 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House