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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Cassandra Torres 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 daughter of proud parents Carlos and Maria 13 Torres, Cassandra Torres is a senior at Robstown High School and 14 plans to attend Texas A&M University--Corpus Christi after 15 graduation; and

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

20 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas 21 Legislature hereby congratulate Cassandra Torres on her selection 22 as a 2013 Dr. Hector P. Garcia Scholar and extend to her sincere 23 best 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. 27451 prepared for Ms. Torres as an expression of high regard by the Texas2 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2745 was adopted by the House on May 26, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House