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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Michael Johnson, a sophomore at San Elizario High 2 School, made an outstanding showing at the University 3 Interscholastic League Track & Field State Meet on May 10, 2013, in 4 Austin; and

5 WHEREAS, Facing off against a field of the top 4A runners in 6 Texas in the 800-meter event, Mr. Johnson earned the silver medal 7 with a time of 1 minute, 54.95 seconds, besting his winning time at 8 the regional championships by a half-second and establishing a new 9 school record for the distance; and

10 WHEREAS, This talented young man was guided to victory with 11 the able assistance of coaches Cesar Morales and Michael Warfield; 12 in claiming his place on the podium, Mr. Johnson becomes the first 13 Eagle track athlete to capture a medal at the state championships 14 since 1977, when his uncle Ray was the winner of the mile event; and

WHEREAS, Through talent and determination, Michael Johnson has already earned a special place in the history of San Elizario athletics, and he is poised for further success in the years ahead; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas 20 Legislature hereby congratulate Michael Johnson on winning the 21 silver medal in the 4A 800-meter race at the UIL Track & Field State 22 Meet and extend to him sincere best wishes for the future; and, be 23 it further

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H.R. No. 2769 1 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 2 prepared for Mr. Johnson as an expression of high regard by the 3 Texas House of Representatives.

M. Gonzalez of El Paso

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2769 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House