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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Kathy Shelton is concluding her collegiate athletic 2 career during 2013, having distinguished herself as a member of the Baylor University softball team for the past four years; and 3 WHEREAS, This versatile player graduated from McKinney North 4 5 High School, where her impressive abilities gained national attention; recruited to play for Baylor by head coach Glenn Moore, 6 7 Ms. Shelton made an immediate impact for the Lady Bears, starting in 37 games as a freshman and recording a perfect 17-for-17 mark in

9 stolen bases; the following year, she led the team in batting

average, hits, runs, and stolen bases, and she helped Baylor reach 10

11 the semifinals of the Women's College World Series; as a junior, she

12 was one of only two team members to start all 56 games, and she led

the Big 12 in stolen bases; and 13

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honoree; and

14 WHEREAS, Ms. Shelton's exemplary performance has continued during her senior season, and the boost she supplies to the Lady 15 Bears as a hitter, base runner, and fielder is matched by her 16 exceptional leadership; she is a source of inspiration, advice, and 17 encouragement for her teammates and sets a strong example through 18 her work ethic; her accomplishments on the field have merited a 19 20 number of awards during her time in the Baylor uniform, including 21 her selection as an All-Big 12 player in both her sophomore and junior years, and she is also a two-time Academic All-Big 12 22

24 WHEREAS, An athlete possessing great skill and dedication,

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- 1 Kathy Shelton has won the respect and admiration of her coaches,
- 2 teammates, and opponents, and she can always remember with pride
- 3 her notable contributions to the Baylor softball team; now,
- 4 therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 6 Legislature hereby honor Kathy Shelton for her achievements as a
- 7 member of the Baylor University softball team and extend to her
- 8 sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for Ms. Shelton as an expression of high regard by the
- 11 Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2778 was adopted by the House on May 24, 2013, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House