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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Atzimba Casas, a senior at Socorro High School in El
- 2 Paso, has signed a national letter of intent to play soccer and
- 3 study at The University of Texas at El Paso; and
- WHEREAS, The daughter of proud parents Jose Casas and Maria
- 5 Escudero, Atzimba Casas began playing soccer in the first grade;
- 6 initially a goalkeeper, she moved to defense and midfield as she
- 7 grew older and ultimately became a star forward for the Socorro
- 8 Bulldogs, though she has continued to tend the net for her team
- 9 during shootouts; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Under the direction of head coach Roger Rosales,
- 11 Ms. Casas was a starter on the girls' varsity team during all four
- 12 years of high school; she has earned numerous accolades for her
- 13 accomplishments on the field, including the El Paso Times Player of
- 14 the Year award as a sophomore and the district Most Valuable Player
- 15 honor during her senior year, when she helped lead the Bulldogs to
- 16 the District 1-5A championship; off the field, Ms. Casas has
- 17 maintained a 99.97 grade point average, and she is active in many
- 18 school organizations, including the Key Club, the National Honor
- 19 Society, and the National Technical Honor Society; and
- 20 WHEREAS, A gifted and dedicated student-athlete, Atzimba
- 21 Casas is looking forward to playing for the UTEP Miners in the fall
- 22 of 2013, and she is a source of great pride and excitement for her
- 23 family and classmates as well as for the many soccer fans in the
- 24 city of El Paso; now, therefore, be it

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- 1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas
- 2 Legislature hereby congratulate Atzimba Casas on signing a national
- 3 letter of intent to play for The University of Texas at El Paso
- 4 women's soccer team and extend to her sincere best wishes for
- 5 continued success; and, be it further
- 6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 7 prepared for Ms. Casas as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 8 House of Representatives.