

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 314

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Robert Griffin III for his many outstanding achievements; and

WHEREAS, Robert is the quarterback of the Washington Redskins of the National Football League; he was the second overall pick of the 2012 draft after a stellar career at Baylor University that saw him set or tie 54 school records; and

WHEREAS, He was named the winner of the 2011 Heisman Trophy, given annually to the most outstanding player in college football; he led the 2011 Bears to a record of 10-3 and the school's first bowl victory in 19 years, and he was a consensus all-American and the Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Blessed with a combination of speed, arm strength and passing accuracy, and a cerebral approach to the game, he has continued to be successful in the National Football League, leading the Washington Redskins to a playoff berth as a rookie; and

WHEREAS, Robert is respected and admired by fans, teammates, and opponents alike; he handles himself with great dignity and is a wonderful role model, and it is truly fitting that he be recognized for his accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby commend Robert Griffin III on his exemplary accomplishments and extend to him best wishes for continued success in all his endeavors; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

Birdwell, Hancock,
Paxton, Taylor, Watson

Member, Texas Senate

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 12, 2013.

Secretary of the Senate