SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1027

In Memory of Thomas J. Singley

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Thomas J. "Jiggs" Singley, who died April 8, 2013, at the age of 94; and

WHEREAS, Born on February 3, 1919, in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma, Thomas Singley lived a long and active life filled with beloved family and dear friends; and

WHEREAS, He worked for Baker Oil Tools for 38 years, and over the course of his career, he held several key positions, including that of manager of the Eastern Division in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Singley also assumed management of one of the company's acquired businesses, and he built up the business and managed contracts around the world before he retired in Oklahoma City in 1986; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Singley was dedicated to his children, his grandchildren, and his great-grandchildren and to his wife, Kathryn Avis Singley, who preceded him in death in 1989; and

WHEREAS, In 1996, Mr. Singley moved to Houston, where his son and daughter-in-law resided, and he spent many happy years with his family and among his neighbors on North Boulevard; and

WHEREAS, An exemplary gentleman, Thomas Singley was admired for his numerous accomplishments and was beloved by many, and he will be remembered with great affection and appreciation by all who had the privilege of sharing in his life; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 83rd Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the bereaved family of Thomas J. "Jiggs" Singley; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Thomas Singley.

Schwertner

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2013, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate