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H.R. No. 184

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Dr. Rick McDaniel was appointed superintendent of
2 schools for the McKinney Independent School District on December 9,
3 2014; and

4 WHEREAS, A veteran educator who has worked in Texas public
5 schools for nearly three decades, Dr. McDaniel previously spent
6 some 20 years with the Tyler ISD as a classroom teacher, coach,
7 assistant principal, and principal; he joined the McKinney ISD in
8 2006 as principal of the newly constructed McKinney Boyd High
9 School, and his leadership was critical to the school's successes
10 in the areas of academic achievement, fine arts, and athletics; in
11 January 2014, he was named assistant superintendent of student
12 services for the district; and

13 WHEREAS, This esteemed administrator earned his bachelor's
14 degree from Stephen F. Austin State University, a master's degree
15 from The University of Texas at Tyler, and his doctorate from the
16 University of North Texas; Dr. McDaniel is the recipient of a
17 number of prestigious accolades, including the Distinguished
18 Leader Award from the Science Teachers Association of Texas, the
19 Distinguished Administrator Award from the Texas Music Educators
20 Association, and the 2013 National Thespian Award for
21 Administrative Support; and

22 WHEREAS, Over the course of his exemplary career,
23 Dr. McDaniel has demonstrated skilled, incisive leadership and an
24 unwavering enthusiasm for educating young people, and he may indeed

1 reflect with pride on his accomplishments as he takes up the
2 challenges and opportunities of his new position; now, therefore,
3 be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate Dr. Rick McDaniel on his
6 appointment as superintendent of schools for the McKinney
7 Independent School District and extend to him sincere best wishes
8 for continued success in his important work; and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
10 prepared for Dr. McDaniel as an expression of high regard by the
11 Texas House of Representatives.