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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, On January 26, 2015, Blake Cretsinger of the
2 Arlington Fire Department sustained second-degree burns while
3 fighting a fire, and the exceptional valor he demonstrated in the
4 line of duty is greatly appreciated by his fellow citizens; and

5 WHEREAS, All Texans owe an immeasurable debt of gratitude to
6 the firefighters who daily protect our lives, families, and
7 property; in the course of their duties, these brave first
8 responders routinely face danger and battle blazes with a steadfast
9 resolve to serve the greater good despite the risk that
10 responsibility carries with it; and

11 WHEREAS, Blake Cretsinger's willingness to undertake the
12 challenging and hazardous work of safeguarding others defines the
13 meaning of heroism, and it is indeed fitting that he be recognized
14 for his sacrifice and dedication; now, therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
16 Legislature hereby honor Blake Cretsinger for his exemplary service
17 with the Arlington Fire Department and extend to him sincere best
18 wishes for a speedy recovery; and, be it further

19 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
20 prepared for Mr. Cretsinger as an expression of high regard by the
21 Texas House of Representatives.