

By: Canales

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The mock trial team from Edinburg High School took
2 first place at the Region One Mock Trial Competition held at the
3 Hidalgo County Courthouse on January 17-19, 2015; and

4 WHEREAS, Vying against 12 other teams from high schools
5 across the region, the Edinburg team participated in five rounds
6 over three days to emerge as the winners; with this outstanding
7 victory, the team has earned a place competing against other top
8 regional teams at the 35th Annual Texas High School Mock Trial
9 Competition to be held on March 7 and 8 in Dallas; the achievement
10 marks the second consecutive win for the school in the regional
11 event; and

12 WHEREAS, The three students who served as Edinburg mock trial
13 attorneys, Julissa Mendoza, Yesenia Molina, and Christian
14 Navarrete, received Best Advocate honors in each round; additional
15 members of the mock trial team include Nyane Zaragoza, Chya
16 Woodard, Kelsey Fortuna, Andrew Cantu, Jake Solis, Jannely
17 Villarreal, and Alyssa Diaz; the team benefited from the able
18 guidance of their sponsors, Melissa Zamora and Nydia Zamarripa, and
19 their attorney advisor, Arturo Cantu; and

20 WHEREAS, These fine young Texans have shown great
21 determination and talent through countless hours of hard work and
22 preparation, and they may take justifiable pride in their notable
23 accomplishment; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate the Edinburg High School mock trial
2 team on winning the Region One Mock Trial Competition and extend to
3 its members sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
7 House of Representatives.