

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Dr. John E. Cameron Sr. is marking his 45th
2 anniversary as pastor of Greater Mt. Calvary Baptist Church in
3 Jackson, Mississippi, in 2015; and

4 WHEREAS, A member of the clergy for more than six decades,
5 Dr. Cameron earned his theology degree from the American Baptist
6 Theological Seminary in Nashville, Tennessee, and he holds an
7 honorary doctor of divinity degree from Rust College; long involved
8 in social activism, he worked alongside Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.
9 on a voter registration drive, and documents regarding his
10 accomplishments during the civil rights era are housed at Tougaloo
11 College and the University of Southern Mississippi; he traveled to
12 Washington, D.C., to provide briefings on African American matters
13 during four presidential administrations; and

14 WHEREAS, Over the years, Dr. Cameron has received numerous
15 accolades, among them the Medgar Evers Award, the Pearl River Basin
16 Development District Service Award, and the 2013 Fannie Lou Hamer
17 Humanitarian Award; he was a colonel on the staff of former
18 Mississippi governor Cliff Finch, and he served as coordinator of
19 youth affairs by gubernatorial appointment; and

20 WHEREAS, Throughout his notable tenure, Dr. Cameron has
21 wholeheartedly committed his talents and energies to serving the
22 congregation of Greater Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, and his
23 leadership has provided valued inspiration and guidance to his
24 community of faith; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Dr. John E. Cameron Sr. on his 45th
3 pastoral anniversary and extend to him sincere best wishes for
4 continued success with his important work; and, be it further

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

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Ashby	Huberty	Pickett
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Bell	Hunter	Raney
Blanco	Isaac	Raymond
Bohac	Israel	Reynolds
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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 685 was adopted by the House on February 25, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House