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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Kenwoo Kim, a Lewisville High School student, was
- 2 named the state champion in the 2014-15 American Legion Oratorical
- 3 Contest at an event held in Brenham on February 16, 2015; and
- WHEREAS, Since 1938, the American Legion Oratorical Contest
- 5 has encouraged high school students to develop a deeper knowledge
- 6 and appreciation for the United States Constitution; by taking part
- 7 in an academic speaking challenge, participants learn about the
- 8 origins of our laws and about the rights, privileges, and
- 9 responsibilities that are fundamental to American citizenship, and
- 10 the experience also fosters the development of skills in leadership
- 11 and public speaking; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Mr. Kim advanced to the state-level challenge after
- 13 taking top honors in his district, and his most recent victory
- 14 qualifies him to take part in the national championship in
- 15 Indianapolis in April; he has benefited from the support and
- 16 mentorship of his coaches, Sally Squibb and Liana Massengale, who
- 17 have accompanied him during the competition; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Through his remarkable showing, Kenwoo Kim has
- 19 distinguished himself as a young man of impressive intellect,
- 20 ability, and dedication, and he may indeed look forward to a bright
- 21 and rewarding future; now, therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 23 Legislature hereby congratulate Kenwoo Kim on his exceptional
- 24 achievement in the 2014-15 American Legion Oratorical Contest and

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- 1 extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
- 2 further
- RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 4 prepared for Mr. Kim as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 5 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 768 was adopted by the House on March 12, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House