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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Dr. Patty Collier received a 2015 Teaching  
2 Excellence Award from Austin Community College; and

3           WHEREAS, Each year, Austin Community College recognizes  
4 faculty members whose knowledge, innovation, and teaching  
5 philosophy set them apart; and

6           WHEREAS, An associate professor at ACC, Dr. Collier helps  
7 coordinate the school's Physical Therapist Assistant Program; she  
8 teaches courses in pathophysiology, neuroscience, management of  
9 neurological disorders, therapeutic exercise, professional issues,  
10 wound care, and clinical education; and

11           WHEREAS, Dr. Collier was inspired to become an educator  
12 during her work as a clinician at local hospitals, where she helped  
13 physical therapy students complete their field training; she joined  
14 the staff at ACC in an adjunct capacity in 2007, and she became a  
15 full-time instructor in 2013; moreover, she also finds the time to  
16 serve patients at Seton Medical Center as a practicing physical  
17 therapist; and

18           WHEREAS, Dedicated to her profession, Dr. Collier is helping  
19 her students reach their full potential both in and out of the  
20 classroom, and she is indeed deserving of this prestigious honor;  
21 now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Dr. Patty Collier on her receipt of  
24 a 2015 Teaching Excellence Award and extend to her sincere best

1 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

2           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
3 prepared for Dr. Collier as an expression of high regard by the  
4 Texas House of Representatives.