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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, A painting by Sophia Price, a kindergartener at
- 2 University Park Elementary School, is being featured in the 2015
- 3 Youth Art Month exhibition taking place at the Bob Bullock Texas
- 4 State History Museum and the State Capitol; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Established in 1961, National Youth Art Month is
- 6 held every March to highlight the importance of art education and
- 7 encourage support for quality school art programs; exhibitions
- 8 across the nation showcase the creativity of young artists, and in
- 9 Texas, the public can enjoy their work at community centers,
- 10 galleries, schools, and other venues; and
- 11 WHEREAS, The curators for Youth Art Month chose Sophia
- 12 Price's painting titled "Night Owl" for inclusion in the 2015
- 13 exhibition, and she is one of only three kindergarteners to achieve
- 14 this honor; the talent and creativity reflected in her work
- 15 demonstrate the value of providing instruction to even the youngest
- 16 students and the benefit of encouraging them to express themselves
- 17 through art; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Sophia Price has distinguished herself at a very
- 19 early age, and the selection of her painting for the Youth Art Month
- 20 exhibition is a source of pride to her family, her fellow students,
- 21 and the faculty of University Park Elementary School; now,
- 22 therefore, be it
- 23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 24 Legislature hereby congratulate Sophia Price on the inclusion of

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- 1 her painting in the 2015 Youth Art Month exhibition at the Bob
- 2 Bullock Texas State History Museum and the State Capitol and extend
- 3 to her sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for Sophia as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 6 House of Representatives.