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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The Children's Health System of Texas has served
- 2 families and saved lives for more than 100 years; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Formerly known as Children's Medical Center Dallas,
- 4 Children's Health ranks today as the nation's sixth-largest
- 5 pediatric health system, with more than 200,000 individual patients
- 6 and more than 785,000 patient visits each year; its integrated
- 7 network of facilities and services encompasses 2 campuses, 18
- 8 pediatric offices, and multiple specialty care centers; and
- 9 WHEREAS, More than 20 percent of all pediatric cancer
- 10 patients in Texas receive treatment at Children's Health; in
- 11 addition, the system has the largest pediatric heart center in
- 12 North Texas, and it implemented the first TeleNICU service in the
- 13 state in order to provide Level IV neonatal intensive care for
- 14 patients from across the region; and
- 15 WHEREAS, In partnership with The University of Texas
- 16 Southwestern Medical Center, Children's Health established the
- 17 Children's Medical Center Research Institute; the hospital system
- 18 also coordinates with community organizations across North Texas to
- 19 sponsor initiatives that promote the well-being of area residents;
- 20 and
- 21 WHEREAS, Children's Health employs more than 6,000 Texans,
- 22 and its medical and dental staff numbers approximately 1,000; an
- 23 economic engine for the region, it has an impact of approximately
- 24 \$1.6 billion; and

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- 1 WHEREAS, Since its founding in 1913, the Children's Health
- 2 System of Texas has improved the lives of countless children, and
- 3 its commitment to excellence and innovation have made it a model
- 4 institution; now, therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
- 6 Legislature hereby honor the Children's Health System of Texas for
- 7 101 years of service to the region and extend to all those
- 8 associated with the system sincere best wishes for continued
- 9 success in their important work; and, be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 11 prepared for Children's Health as an expression of high regard by
- 12 the Texas House of Representatives.

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Chief Clerk of the House

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