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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A 70th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of
2 mutual devotion and shared experiences, and Don and Jackie Semple
3 of Sulphur Springs celebrated this joyous milestone on February 6,
4 2015; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Semple were united in matrimony at a
6 ceremony held in Haddonfield, New Jersey, on that memorable day in
7 1945; over the years, they became the parents of five children,
8 Donna, Steven, and Kenneth Semple, Cheryl Pierce, and the late
9 Beverly Switala, and today their fine family has grown to include
10 six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; and

11 WHEREAS, This inspiring couple met while working summer jobs
12 as messengers at the Campbell Soup Company; he went on to serve in
13 the U.S. Coast Guard, and she went on to become a U.S. Navy code
14 breaker stationed in Washington, D.C.; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Semple have enjoyed seven decades of
16 abiding love and affection for each other, and they are among an
17 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting
18 commitment; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
20 Legislature hereby congratulate Don and Jackie Semple on their 70th
21 wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
22 continued happiness; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas

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1 House of Representatives.