By: Davis of Harris

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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Family and friends will forever treasure their
- 2 memories of Jeremy Davis Brown of Austin, who died on September 9,
- 3 2014, at the age of 43; and
- WHEREAS, Jeremy Brown was born on January 31, 1971, at the
- 5 Keesler Air Force Base Hospital in Biloxi, Mississippi, to Debra
- 6 and David Brown; he grew up in Mississippi and in his early years
- 7 lived in Salt Lake City, Las Vegas, and Odessa, before graduating
- 8 from high school in Bellaire, Texas, in 1989; and
- 9 WHEREAS, For more than 10 years, Mr. Brown worked as a
- 10 private investigator in Houston; in 1997, he received a bachelor's
- 11 degree in government from The University of Texas at Austin, and he
- 12 went on to earn his law degree at South Texas College of Law in
- 13 Houston; he was admitted to the bar in 2006 and opened his own
- 14 family law practice in Austin; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Brown spent as much time as he could pursuing an
- 16 active life out-of-doors, fishing along the Texas Coast and hunting
- 17 in South and West Texas; he was devoted to his three Labrador
- 18 retrievers, and he loved everything about Texas, from the history
- 19 and the landscape, to its music and its people; and
- WHEREAS, Although his life ended far too soon, Jeremy Brown
- 21 will forever be remembered by his loved ones and his friends for his
- 22 kindness, his warmth, and his concern for others; now, therefore,
- 23 be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Jeremy Davis Brown
- 2 and extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
- 3 mother, Debra Clark Eckel; to his father, Marshall Davis Brown Jr.;
- 4 to his maternal grandmother, Zoe Clark; to his stepmother, Jo Robin
- 5 Brown; to his stepfather, Floyd Eckel; to his brothers, Nicholas
- 6 Eckel, Robert Lee Brown, and William Price Brown; to his sisters,
- 7 Elizabeth Cathleen Brown, Jessica Eckel Blad, and Kathryn Eckel; to
- 8 his aunt, Ronda Clark Barnett; and to his other relatives and
- 9 friends; and, be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 11 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
- 12 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Jeremy
- 13 Brown.