R E S O L U T I O N

1   WHEREAS, Words cannot adequately express the sorrow felt at
2 the tragic loss of Misael Hernandez of El Paso, who died on June 13,
3 2014, at the age of 17; and
4   WHEREAS, This vibrant and energetic young man graduated from
5 Horizon High School as the salutatorian of his class; possessing a
6 keen intellect as well as a gift for music, he played the saxophone
7 and served as a drum major for the school band, and he helped his
8 Social Studies UIL team to win a district championship; he was
9 preparing to attend The University of Texas at El Paso in the fall;
10 and
11   WHEREAS, A devout Christian, Mr. Hernandez strove to live
12 according to the ideals and beliefs he held dear, and he was an
13 active member of his church; his achievements made him an exemplary
14 role model to his fellow students, and during the commencement
15 speech that he delivered just days before his passing, he
16 encouraged his classmates to pursue their dreams and ambitions,
17 whatever they may be; and
18   WHEREAS, Misael Hernandez was beloved by his family, friends,
19 and neighbors in the community, and though his life ended far too
20 soon, memories of his warmth and optimism will live forever in the
21 hearts of those he leaves behind; now, therefore, be it
22   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
23 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Misael Hernandez
24 and extend deepest condolences to his parents, Raquel and Francisco

1 Hernandez; to his sisters, Ymaliz and Yaeli Hernandez; and to his

2 other relatives and many friends; and, be it further

3   RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be

4 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of

5 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Misael

6 Hernandez.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1718 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 7, 2015.

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Chief Clerk of the House