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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Duncan Samo, a retired educator at Del Mar College
in Corpus Christi, has been named professor emeritus by the
college's board of regents; and

WHEREAS, Emeritus status is conferred on select former faculty members and administrators in recognition of their significant contributions to the educational community; many of these distinguished individuals continue to serve the university during their retirement; and

WHEREAS, emeritus of 9 Professor medical laboratory technology, Mr. Samo served as chair, program coordinator, and 10 11 administrator of the Department of Allied Health during his 34-year 12 tenure with Del Mar; in addition, he established the medical laboratory technology associated 13 program and clinical 14 affiliations, which provide students with necessary skills and credentials for their chosen field as well as with employment 15 16 opportunities at Coastal Bend hospitals and laboratories; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Samo has further distinguished himself through 17 18 his involvement with a number of professional organizations; he has attended more than 50 site visits as a site coordinator for the 19 20 National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences, and 21 he has served the agency as chair, vice chair, and member of its Program Review Committee; he has also held memberships with the 22 American Society for Clinical Laboratory Science and the Texas 23 Association for Clinical Laboratory Science, which he has also 24

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1 served as president; and

2 WHEREAS, Through his myriad endeavors in behalf of Del Mar 3 College, Duncan Samo has contributed immeasurably to advancing the 4 mission of that institution, and he is indeed deserving of this 5 prestigious accolade; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas 7 Legislature hereby congratulate Duncan Samo on his designation as 8 professor emeritus at Del Mar College and extend to him sincere best 9 wishes for the future; and, be it further

10 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 11 prepared for Mr. Samo as an expression of high regard by the Texas 12 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2317 was adopted by the House on May 21, 2015, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House