

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and productive life drew to a close with the
2 death of Irving Braslau of Corpus Christi on May 2, 2015, at the age
3 of 85; and

4 WHEREAS, Born in Yorktown on October 1, 1929, to Morris and
5 Annie Braslau, Irving Braslau was a lifelong Texan; he answered his
6 nation's call to duty as a member of the United States Army as a
7 young man, and after returning to civilian life, he married the love
8 of his life, the former Marilyn Goodman, in 1957; the Braslaus
9 shared nearly six decades together until her passing, and over the
10 years, they became the parents of four children, Pamela, Robin,
11 Blake, and Tracy, and their treasured family later grew to include
12 two additional generations; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Braslau was a successful entrepreneur who
14 enjoyed a fulfilling career as the owner of Braslau's Furniture; in
15 addition, his keen knowledge of the stock market allowed him to
16 identify nearly any ticker symbol from memory and to share valuable
17 stock tips with others; in his leisure time, he delighted in
18 reading, watching movies, and spending time outdoors hunting and
19 fishing, and he was a longtime member of Congregation Beth Israel;
20 and

21 WHEREAS, Those fortunate enough to have known Irving Braslau
22 will fondly remember him for his generosity, his warmth, and his
23 wonderful sense of humor, and he will forever hold a treasured place
24 in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
2 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Irving Braslau and
3 extend sincere condolences to the members of his family: to his
4 children, Pamela Zane and her husband, Randall, Robin Davis and her
5 husband, Jordan, and Blake Braslau and his wife, Monica; to his
6 grandchildren, Andrea Zane Feinman and her husband, Blake, Stacy
7 Zane, Todd Davis and his wife, Mali, Amy and Eric Davis, and Grant,
8 Caroline, and Natalie Braslau; to his great-grandchildren, Zane
9 Phillip Feinman and Max Nathan Davis; and to his other relatives and
10 many friends; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
13 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Irving
14 Braslau.

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H.R. No. 2778

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2778 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 21, 2015.

Chief Clerk of the House