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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, A rich and purposeful life drew to a close with the
- 2 passing of Annette Durand Castillo of San Antonio on July 8, 2017,
- 3 at the age of 47; and
- WHEREAS, The beloved daughter of Paul P. Castillo Jr. and the
- 5 late Eudelia Castillo, Annette Castillo was born on November 1,
- 6 1969, and grew up with the companionship of her six older siblings,
- 7 Hermelinda, Lillian, Arlene, Debra, Charles, and Arthur; and
- 8 WHEREAS, After graduating from high school, Ms. Castillo
- 9 briefly attended business school before beginning a rewarding
- 10 career with the Bexar County Clerk's Office that spanned 22 years;
- 11 her professionalism and friendly disposition quickly won her the
- 12 respect and admiration of her colleagues there, and she rose
- 13 through the ranks to become a county court clerk; later in life, she
- 14 also worked at United Healthcare; and
- WHEREAS, A talented baker, Ms. Castillo was widely known for
- 16 her decadent desserts, and she delighted in treating friends and
- 17 coworkers to cakes, pies, and cookies; she also found great
- 18 fulfillment in caring for her two cherished cats, Sassy and Chloe;
- 19 and
- WHEREAS, Annette Castillo touched countless lives with her
- 21 joyful spirit and her ever-present smile, and all those who were
- 22 fortunate enough to know her will forever hold her close in their
- 23 hearts; now, therefore, be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas

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- 1 Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby pay tribute to the memory
- 2 of Annette Castillo and extend heartfelt sympathy to the members of
- 3 her family: to her father, Paul P. Castillo Jr., and her stepmother,
- 4 Maria Elena Castillo; to her sisters, Hermelinda Almanza, Lillian
- 5 Cronk, Arlene Ortiz, and Debra DeVilbiss; to her brothers, Charles
- 6 and Arthur Castillo; and to her other relatives and many friends;
- 7 and, be it further
- 8 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 9 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
- 10 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Annette
- 11 Castillo.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 289 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on August 15, 2017.

Chief Clerk of the House