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H.C.R. No. 121

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Salvador Sanchez Diaz of Edinburg on April 11, 2016, at
3 the age of 86; and

4 WHEREAS, The son of Antonio and Josefa Sanchez Diaz, Salvador
5 Diaz served his country during the Korean War, and he was stationed
6 in Germany; upon his return home, he attended Pan American College
7 and earned his degree in accounting; he went on to work at Tide
8 Products for 30 years, and he later retired from Wilbur-Ellis, at
9 age 65; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Diaz married the former Minerva Ozuna on
11 February 11, 1956, and over the course of their 60 years together,
12 they had the privilege of watching their family grow to include
13 three children, David and his wife, Judy, Rene and his wife, Arlene,
14 and Elisa Diaz, and three grandchildren, Jacob, Alissa, and
15 Abigail; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Diaz is further survived by his sister, Elena
17 Diaz Ramos, and his siblings-in-law, Santos Roel Ozuna and his
18 wife, Tammie, Criselda Ozuna, Victoria O. Gadd, and Viola O. Mathis
19 and her husband, Dennis, as well as numerous nieces and nephews; and

20 WHEREAS, After their children were grown, Mr. and Mrs. Diaz
21 enjoyed traveling to national parks across the country, with
22 Mr. Diaz doing all the driving; and

23 WHEREAS, While the death of Salvador Sanchez Diaz brings
24 great sorrow to his family and friends, he will forever be

1 remembered with great admiration and affection by all those who
2 held him dear; now, therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, That the 85th Legislature of the State of Texas
4 hereby pay tribute to the life of Salvador Sanchez Diaz of Edinburg
5 and extend sincere condolences to his loved ones; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
8 Representatives and Senate adjourn this day, they do so in memory of
9 Salvador Sanchez Diaz.