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H.C.R. No. 139

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Former state representative Carl H. Isett retired as
2 a captain in the United States Navy Reserve on March 6, 2017,
3 drawing to a close an exemplary career in the armed forces that
4 spanned 26 years; and

5 WHEREAS, Carl Isett was commissioned an officer in the U.S.
6 Navy Reserve Supply Corps Program in April 1991, and he went on to
7 graduate from the Basic Qualification Course at the Navy Supply
8 Corps School in Athens, Georgia, in April 1993; his initial
9 assignments included service as an executive officer for the
10 Defense Distribution Depot Oakland Headquarters Unit in Lubbock and
11 as officer in charge for detachments in Lubbock and Austin; and

12 WHEREAS, Captain Isett gained extensive experience in
13 theater logistics in Southeast Asia, through his participation in
14 exercises in such locations as Thailand and Singapore; in his
15 stateside assignments in the early 2000s, he served as commanding
16 officer of distribution and supply centers in Denver and Oklahoma
17 City, and in his role as commanding officer for Naval Supply
18 Activity Bahrain, Detachment B, in San Antonio, he supported the
19 navy's major logistical hub in the Persian Gulf; and

20 WHEREAS, In 2006, Captain Isett was deployed with the Navy
21 Customs Battalion QUEBEC to serve as executive officer overseeing
22 nearly 400 sailors in Kuwait and Iraq; during his second active duty
23 deployment, from June 2011 to March 2012, he led the Defense
24 Logistics Agency Distribution in Kandahar, Afghanistan, the first

1 and only facility of its kind to be located within an active theater
2 of war; he subsequently completed additional duty in Denver and in
3 San Diego, and he concluded his tenure by serving as the commanding
4 officer of Navy Reserve Force Korea, Detachment F, in Fort Worth;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, This accomplished officer is the recipient of the
7 Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Navy Meritorious Service
8 Medal with gold star, the Navy Commendation Medal with gold star,
9 and the Navy Achievement Medal with gold star; and

10 WHEREAS, A graduate of Texas Tech University, Captain Isett
11 holds a bachelor of business administration degree with a double
12 major in accounting and finance as well as a master's degree in
13 finance; in addition to his service as a reserve officer and as the
14 representative for House District 84 in the Texas Legislature from
15 1997 to 2010, he has been employed as a certified public accountant
16 and a consultant; and

17 WHEREAS, Carl Isett's commitment to upholding the highest
18 ideals of the U.S. military has earned him the respect and
19 admiration of his fellow Texans, and he may indeed reflect with
20 considerable pride on his outstanding efforts in behalf of his
21 state and nation; now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the 85th Legislature of the State of Texas
23 hereby honor Carl H. Isett on the event of his retirement from the
24 U.S. Navy Reserve and commend him for 26 years of distinguished
25 military service; and, be it further

26 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
27 prepared for Captain Isett as an expression of high regard by the

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1 Texas House of Representatives and Senate.