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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, National Engineers Week is taking place February 19
2 to 25, 2017, and this occasion provides a welcome opportunity to
3 recognize the engineering professionals of the Texas chapters of
4 ASHRAE; and

5 WHEREAS, Since 1951, "EWeek" has been set aside to celebrate
6 the tremendous efforts of the men and women who work in the field of
7 engineering and to promote the education of future leaders in this
8 profession; and

9 WHEREAS, Founded in 1894, ASHRAE is an international
10 engineering society that focuses on building systems, energy
11 efficiency, indoor air quality, refrigeration, and sustainability;
12 the organization was originally known as the American Society of
13 Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers before
14 adopting the current acronym as its official name in 2012 as a
15 reflection of its global status; today, ASHRAE has more than 55,000
16 members, spread across 140 countries; and

17 WHEREAS, By dedicating themselves to advancing technologies
18 of benefit to all of human society, the members of the Alamo,
19 Austin, Dallas, East Texas, Fort Worth, Houston, South Texas, and
20 West Texas chapters of ASHRAE have made a lasting, positive
21 difference in their communities and beyond, and it is indeed
22 fitting to honor their contributions to the Lone Star State; now,
23 therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby recognize February 19 to 25, 2017, as National
2 Engineers Week and extend sincere appreciation to the members of
3 the eight Texas chapters of ASHRAE; and, be it further

4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
5 prepared for the organization as an expression of high regard by the
6 Texas House of Representatives.