

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Jacqueline Elena Black has been named a 2016 Corpus  
2 Christi *Caller-Times/Citgo* South Texas Distinguished Scholar in  
3 the achiever category; and

4           WHEREAS, The *Caller-Times/Citgo* South Texas Distinguished  
5 Scholars program was established to reward local students who have  
6 demonstrated excellence in specific areas of achievement; since its  
7 inception in 1988, hundreds of young men and women have been  
8 selected for this prestigious honor, and each of the 2016 winners  
9 received a \$1,000 scholarship to help fund their college studies;  
10 and

11           WHEREAS, The daughter of Barbara Canales and Paul Black,  
12 Jackie Black is a senior at W. B. Ray High School, where she has  
13 maintained an impressive 4.03 grade point average and earned honor  
14 roll recognition; in addition to keeping up with her challenging  
15 academic course load, which has included dual-credit classes at Del  
16 Mar College and five Advanced Placement classes, she takes part in  
17 such extracurricular activities as varsity soccer, choir, and  
18 horseback riding; she also volunteers her time raising funds and  
19 awareness for childhood cancer research and helping at a  
20 therapeutic riding center; and

21           WHEREAS, This outstanding young Texan has pursued her goals  
22 with tremendous dedication, and she may take great pride in all that  
23 she has accomplished as she looks ahead to a future bright with  
24 promise; now, therefore, be it

1           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Jacqueline Elena Black on her  
3 selection as a 2016 Corpus Christi *Caller-Times*/Citgo South Texas  
4 Distinguished Scholar and extend to her sincere best wishes for  
5 continued success; and, be it further

6           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
7 prepared for Ms. Black as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
8 House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 580

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 580 was adopted by the House on March 2, 2017, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House