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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.