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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Leigh Marsh, a teacher at Baker Middle School in 2 Corpus Christi, coached the Science Bowl team that won the middle 3 school category at the regional competition held at The University 4 of Texas Rio Grande Valley on February 4, 2017; and

5 WHEREAS, Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Science, the Science Bowl is an academic competition that brings 6 together middle and high school students from around the nation to 7 participate in a fast-paced contest that touches on disciplines 8 9 ranging from biology and chemistry to physics and math; at the regional level, the members of the winning Baker Middle School team 10 11 beat out 19 other teams from South Texas to earn an all-expenses 12 paid trip to Washington, D.C., where they will take part in the national competition being held from April 27 to May 1, 2017; and 13

WHEREAS, In addition to leading the Science Bowl team, Ms. Marsh teaches sixth-grade science at Baker Middle School, and in her spare time, she enjoys reading, running, and traveling with her family; she is an alumna of Texas A&M University, Texas A&M University--Corpus Christi, and Del Mar College, where she studied education, geology, meteorology, and geography; and

20 WHEREAS, With their fine showing in the regional Science Bowl 21 competition, the members of the winning Baker Middle School team 22 have brought credit to their school and their community, and Leigh 23 Marsh may take justifiable pride in her role as the team's coach; 24 now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate Leigh Marsh on coaching the 2017 regional Science Bowl middle school championship team and extend to her sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for Ms. Marsh as an expression of high regard by the Texas

House of Representatives.

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