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H.R. No. 1371

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, A full and generous life drew to a close with the
2 passing of Luis Miguel Del Valle on February 8, 2017, at the age of
3 76; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Del Valle was born on March 7, 1940, in Santa
5 Clara, Cuba, and lived there until the age of 22, when he and his
6 wife, Carmen, fled the island with their son for the United States;
7 after making their home in Dallas for a number of years, the family
8 relocated in 1973 to the Carrollton-Farmers Branch area, where
9 Mr. Del Valle embarked on a successful career with the Goodyear
10 Tire and Rubber Company that spanned three decades; he went on to
11 serve as director of logistics for Kauffman Tire before retiring in
12 2012; and

13 WHEREAS, Over the course of their 54 years of marriage,
14 Mr. and Mrs. Del Valle were blessed with three children, Mike,
15 Rick, and Mary, and as time passed, they had the pleasure of seeing
16 their family grow to include five grandchildren, Heather, Will,
17 Thomas, Wes, and Warren, and two great-grandchildren, Isabella and
18 Derek; and

19 WHEREAS, Strong in his faith, Mr. Del Valle was a longtime
20 congregant of Mary Immaculate Catholic Church, and he served his
21 community as a member of Friends of the Branch; in retirement, he
22 enjoyed going on cruises, taking trips to Branson, Missouri, and
23 watching his grandsons play football for Bishop Lynch High School;
24 and

1 WHEREAS, Luis Del Valle's passing has brought great sadness
2 to his family and many friends, but he has left them with a
3 multitude of cherished memories, and he will forever hold a special
4 place in their hearts; now, therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
6 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Luis Miguel Del Valle
7 and extend sincere condolences to all those who mourn his passing;
8 and, be it further

9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
10 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
11 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Luis Del
12 Valle.