

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Texans everywhere are indebted to the men and women
2 of the law enforcement profession, for by their selfless devotion
3 to the public welfare, they enable us to enjoy the benefits of a
4 peaceful and orderly society; and

5 WHEREAS, Too seldom recognized, and sometimes taken for
6 granted by the public they so faithfully serve, these gallant
7 individuals daily risk their lives in order to ensure domestic
8 tranquility and to protect the lives and property of others; and

9 WHEREAS, Senior Police Officer Amir Abdul-Khaliq of the
10 Austin Police Department exemplified in his personal and
11 professional conduct the singular virtues of courage, integrity,
12 and steadfast resolve, and throughout his 17 years on the force, his
13 meritorious service embodied the highest ideals of his vocation;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, Killed in the line of duty on September 4, 2016,
16 Officer Abdul-Khaliq will long be missed by his family, his fellow
17 peace officers, and the entire community; and

18 WHEREAS, Though his life ended far too soon, Officer
19 Abdul-Khaliq left behind a record of public service that is
20 deserving of his fellow citizens' lasting respect and gratitude;
21 now, therefore, be it

22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
23 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the life of Senior Police Officer
24 Amir Abdul-Khaliq and extend deepest sympathy to his relatives,

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1 friends, and fellow officers; and, be it further

2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
3 prepared for his family and that when the Texas House of
4 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Senior
5 Police Officer Amir Abdul-Khaliq.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1835 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the House on May 12, 2017.

Chief Clerk of the House