

By: Anderson of McLennan

H.R. No. 1956

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Texas Englander dZignPak is celebrating the 50th  
2 anniversary of its founding on May 4, 2017; and

3 WHEREAS, In 1967, Louie Englander established Englander  
4 Container in Waco to meet the demand for shipping boxes in Central  
5 Texas, and a few years later, Ted Hager created a similar enterprise  
6 in Dallas known as Hager Containers; through the decades, the two  
7 companies grew to become leaders in the industry, as their founders  
8 became both business associates and lifelong friends; and

9 WHEREAS, Current CEO Marty Englander, the son of Louie  
10 Englander, was instrumental in the expansion of Englander  
11 Container's design departments and to the development of new sales  
12 and distribution locations in Austin, San Antonio, Dallas/Fort  
13 Worth, and Arkansas; in 2009 and 2010, the company also purchased a  
14 number of other ventures, including Sonntag, Stribling Packaging,  
15 and Juiced Creative; and

16 WHEREAS, Hager Containers came under the ownership of Doug  
17 Zadow, Steve Hager, and Carl Renner in 2003; after the acquisition  
18 of Shelby Packaging, the company was renamed dZignPak, and its  
19 operations expanded to include graphic design and distribution; the  
20 Englander and Hager companies first partnered in 1997, when they  
21 jointly bought cardboard manufacturer TexCorr, and in 2011,  
22 Englander and dZignPak formally merged, becoming Englander  
23 dZignPak, LLC; and

24 WHEREAS, In April 2017, dZignPak launched its 50 Weeks of

1 Giving campaign, celebrating the company's 50th anniversary and  
2 building on Louie Englander's long history of community service by  
3 providing donations to 50 different local groups; and

4 WHEREAS, For half a century, this dynamic business has  
5 contributed to the economic prosperity of the Lone Star State, and  
6 the foundation of solid corporate citizenship on which it is built  
7 will help ensure its existence well into the future; now,  
8 therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
10 Legislature hereby commemorate the 50th anniversary of Texas  
11 Englander dZignPak and extend to its owners, management, and  
12 employees sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
14 prepared for the business as an expression of high regard by the  
15 Texas House of Representatives.