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H.R. No. 2118

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Tesfamichael Negussie has been named salutatorian
2 of the Class of 2017 at Margaret Long Wisdom High School in Houston,
3 and he indeed merits special recognition for receiving this
4 significant honor; and

5 WHEREAS, Earning the title of salutatorian requires not only
6 intellect and aptitude but also four years of dedication to the
7 highest academic standards; in securing his place as one of the two
8 top-ranking students in his class, Mr. Negussie demonstrated a
9 thorough understanding of a wide range of subjects, with his
10 favorites being history, government, and economics; his attainment
11 of this coveted distinction is the crowning achievement of a
12 notable high school career; and

13 WHEREAS, In addition to excelling academically, Mr. Negussie
14 participated in numerous extracurricular activities, including
15 debate and student council, and he also founded the Young Ethiopian
16 Council; named an Upward Bound Youth of the Year and a recipient of
17 the Robert E. Lee Einstein Award, he plans to study sociology and
18 anthropology at Pomona College with scholarships from QuestBridge,
19 the American Legion, and the Rotary Interact club; and

20 WHEREAS, During his years at Wisdom High School, Tesfamichael
21 Negussie earned the respect and admiration of his teachers and
22 classmates, and his exceptional scholastic ability and commitment
23 to excellence have opened the way to a bright and promising future
24 for this outstanding young Texan; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
2 Legislature hereby congratulate Tesfamichael Negussie,
3 salutatorian of the Class of 2017 at Margaret Long Wisdom High
4 School, and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success
5 as he begins the next exciting chapter of his life; and, be it
6 further

7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
8 prepared for Mr. Negussie as an expression of high regard by the
9 Texas House of Representatives.