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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Eddie Lee, the superintendent of Midland Christian
- 2 School, received an honorary doctorate from Abilene Christian
- 3 University on May 1, 2017; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The university awards honorary doctorates to
- 5 individuals who have exemplified leadership and service to the
- 6 community throughout their lifetime; the 85th recipient of this
- 7 notable honor, Mr. Lee was recognized for shaping the lives of
- 8 countless young Texans during his 42 years in education; and
- 9 WHEREAS, This esteemed administrator began his career in
- 10 1975, when he accepted a position at Midland Christian School;
- 11 after teaching math and science for five years, he was named the
- 12 school's principal, and he went on to become superintendent in
- 13 1985; over the course of his notable tenure, he has earned a
- 14 reputation for going above and beyond the duties of his position;
- 15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, Mr. Lee holds a bachelor's degree from Lubbock
- 17 Christian University and a master's degree from The University of
- 18 Texas of the Permian Basin; in all his endeavors, he enjoys the love
- 19 and support of his wife, Carol, and his son, Jared, who have both
- 20 joined him in working at Midland Christian School; and
- 21 WHEREAS, Over the years, Eddie Lee has exemplified the
- 22 highest ideals of his profession, fostering a positive, faith-based
- 23 environment for students while working to equip them with a sound
- 24 academic foundation on which to build, and he is indeed deserving of

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- 1 this most recent accolade; now, therefore, be it
- 2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas
- 3 Legislature hereby congratulate Eddie Lee on his receipt of an
- 4 honorary doctorate from Abilene Christian University and extend to
- 5 him sincere best wishes for continued success with his important
- 6 work; and, be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 8 prepared for Mr. Lee as an expression of high regard by the  ${\tt Texas}$
- 9 House of Representatives.