

By: Davis of Dallas

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Attorney Joe K. Longley of Austin has been elected  
2 as the 2018-2019 president of the State Bar of Texas; and

3 WHEREAS, A graduate of The University of Texas School of Law,  
4 Mr. Longley was a partner at Longley & Maxwell for 25 years before  
5 establishing his solo practice in Austin; during his notable  
6 career, he has advocated for legislation to benefit both the legal  
7 profession and its clients, including laws to prevent deceptive  
8 trade practices and to promote fair debt collection; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Longley has served the State Bar of Texas as a  
10 member of the board of directors and the District 9 Grievance  
11 Committee, and he is a former chair of the Consumer Law Section; his  
12 many achievements have been recognized by the entity's Insurance  
13 Law Section, which honored him with the Insurance Legend Award in  
14 2011; and

15 WHEREAS, In all his endeavors, Mr. Longley enjoys the love  
16 and support of his family, including his wife, Maggie, his three  
17 children, and his five grandchildren; and

18 WHEREAS, Joe Longley has demonstrated an exceptional  
19 commitment to furthering the mission of the State Bar of Texas, and  
20 the vision and breadth of experience he brings to his new role as  
21 president are sure to benefit the organization; now, therefore, be  
22 it

23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 85th Texas  
24 Legislature hereby congratulate Joe K. Longley on his election as

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1 president of the State Bar of Texas and extend to him sincere best  
2 wishes for a successful and productive term; and, be it further

3       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Mr. Longley as an expression of high regard by the  
5 Texas House of Representatives.