SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 834

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Alex Shahrestani for his outstanding work as a legislative intern in the office of Senator Royce West; and

WHEREAS, Alex Shahrestani is a student at The University of Texas School of Law and founder of the *Journal of Law and Technology at Texas*; he expects to earn his law degree in May of 2018; and

WHEREAS, As an intern in the senator's office, Alex played an integral role in the success of "Team West"; his many responsibilities included attending committee hearings and summarizing the proceedings, primarily those of the Committee on Natural Resources and Economic Development; he also researched, analyzed, and provided feedback on bills, drafted questions for floor debate, and spent time with constituents; and

WHEREAS, During his internship, Alex gained firsthand knowledge of the governmental process and insight into the issues facing our communities and our state, and he was an invaluable asset to the staff in the office of Senator West; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, hereby commend Alex Shahrestani on his exemplary work as a legislative intern for Senator Royce West and extend to him best wishes for the future; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

West

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 21, 2017.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate