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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Professional Golfers' Association of America is
2 moving its headquarters to Frisco; and

3 WHEREAS, The result of a groundbreaking public-private
4 agreement, the new 100,000-square-foot headquarters will anchor a
5 600-acre, mixed-use development that is expected to bring more than
6 \$2.5 billion into the region's economy over the next 20 years; in
7 addition to the PGA and the City of Frisco, other stakeholders who
8 contributed to the agreement include the city's economic and
9 community development corporations, the board of the Frisco
10 Independent School District, and the Omni Stillwater Woods
11 partnership; and

12 WHEREAS, The complex will be home to two championship golf
13 courses, a short course, and practice areas totaling 45 holes, as
14 well as a clubhouse; scheduled to open in 2022, the courses will
15 host several PGA championship tournaments, including the
16 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship in 2023; moreover, the complex
17 will include a 500-room Omni Hotel resort, a 127,000-square-foot
18 conference center, a state-of-the-art retail village, parks and
19 open space, and several miles of walking trails; and

20 WHEREAS, Rated by *Money* magazine in 2018 as the "Best Place to
21 Live" in the nation, Frisco is thriving, and this new addition to
22 the city promises to make significant contributions to the
23 community; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate Frisco for becoming the new
2 national headquarters of the PGA of America and extend to the city's
3 officials and other stakeholders sincere best wishes for the
4 success of this exciting project.