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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The Texas Christian University rifle team furthered
2 its proud tradition of excellence by winning the overall team title
3 at the 2019 NCAA Rifle Championship; and

4 WHEREAS, TCU dominated the March 8 and 9 competition held in
5 Morgantown, West Virginia, capturing the third national crown in
6 program history; the outstanding performances by team members
7 Elizabeth Marsh, Kristen Hemphill, Rachel Garner, Casey Lutz, and
8 Angeline Henry enabled the Horned Frogs to take home four of the
9 event's five trophies; in addition to the overall championship, the
10 TCU shooters claimed the smallbore team title, while Ms. Marsh won
11 the individual smallbore event and Ms. Hemphill collected TCU's
12 first-ever individual air rifle gold medal, with Ms. Henry
13 finishing a close second; and

14 WHEREAS, Also contributing to the Horned Frogs' impressive
15 showing during the 2018-2019 season were Noelle Christensen,
16 Abigail Gordon, Emily Haag, Taylor Haffner, Rachel Kimbell, and
17 Catherine Miller; the team was ably guided by longtime head coach
18 Karen Monez, who directed TCU to national championships in 2010 and
19 2012, and assistant coach Hannah Black; and

20 WHEREAS, In winning a third national championship, the TCU
21 Horned Frogs have earned a special place in the pantheon of elite
22 NCAA rifle teams, and they may indeed take justifiable pride in
23 their accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

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

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate the Texas Christian University
2 rifle team on winning the 2019 NCAA rifle national championship and
3 extend to the competitors and coaches sincere best wishes for
4 continued success; and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas
7 House of Representatives.