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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, After playing a key role in the success of the Texas  
2 Tech University men's basketball team over the past two seasons,  
3 Jarrett Culver has declared for the 2019 NBA Draft; and

4 WHEREAS, One of the most highly touted professional prospects  
5 in the June 20 draft, Mr. Culver is rated number six on the ESPN  
6 list of available players, having earned high marks for his  
7 accomplished two-year career in the collegiate ranks; and

8 WHEREAS, A standout player at Coronado High School in  
9 Lubbock, Mr. Culver made an immediate impact at Texas Tech; he set a  
10 freshman team record during his inaugural season by scoring 229  
11 points in Big 12 Conference action, and he helped propel Texas Tech  
12 to its first appearance in the Elite Eight round of the NCAA  
13 tournament; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Culver continued to dominate as a sophomore,  
15 helping Texas Tech claim its first Big 12 regular season crown and  
16 becoming the first Red Raider ever honored as Big 12 Player of the  
17 Year; during the postseason, he was instrumental in the team's  
18 thrilling run through the NCAA bracket, which culminated with an  
19 appearance in the national championship game; in recognition of his  
20 exceptional performance, he was named Most Outstanding Player of  
21 the tournament's West Region and a member of the Final Four  
22 All-Tournament Team, and he also was a consensus All-America  
23 selection; and

24 WHEREAS, An elite athlete who is heralded as one of the

1 nation's most versatile college players, Jarrett Culver may indeed  
2 take justifiable pride in his accomplishments on the hardwood as he  
3 looks forward to a professional career bright with promise; now,  
4 therefore, be it

5         RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas  
6 Legislature hereby congratulate Jarrett Culver on declaring for the  
7 2019 NBA Draft and extend to him sincere best wishes for continued  
8 success; and, be it further

9         RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
10 prepared for Mr. Culver as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
11 House of Representatives.