By: Ortega

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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, In her service as Capitol nurse practitioner during 2 the 86th Legislative Session, Ginger McGalin has skillfully 3 attended to the health care needs of the legislative community; and WHEREAS, A native Texan, Ms. McGalin began serving in the 4 5 United States Navy Reserve as a hospital corpsman in 1986, and she remained enlisted while undertaking nursing studies at Lamar 6 7 University in Beaumont, where she graduated with a bachelor's degree in May 1993; she subsequently accepted a commission as a Navy 8 9 Nurse Corps officer and continued in that role until retiring from 10 active duty in 1996; and

11 WHEREAS, Following her discharge, Ms. McGalin earned her 12 master's degree and completed her education as a family nurse 13 practitioner at The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston 14 in December 1998; over the years, she has been employed in a variety 15 of settings, including clinics, hospitals, nursing homes, and state 16 prison infirmaries, and she also served as the Jefferson County 17 Employee Health nurse practitioner; and

WHEREAS, Ms. McGalin began her work as Capitol nurse practitioner in October 2018, and she has since provided care to elected officials and state employees who work in the Capitol Complex, as well as to citizens who are visiting; in addition, she has volunteered as preceptor for nurse practitioner students from UT Austin and from online universities; her outside interests include horses, travel, and photography, and above all else, she

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1 cherishes spending time with her twin daughters, Jordyn and Jaedyn;
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3 WHEREAS, By providing exceptional medical care during the 4 legislative session, Ginger McGalin has helped to ensure the 5 well-being and productivity of the legislative community, and her 6 dedication has earned her the respect and appreciation of all who 7 know her; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas 9 Legislature hereby honor Ginger McGalin for her service as Capitol 10 nurse practitioner and extend to her sincere best wishes for 11 continued success; and, be it further

12 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 13 prepared for Ms. McGalin as an expression of high regard by the 14 Texas House of Representatives.

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