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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, Annie Laurie Victoria Gibson graduated from the
- 2 United States Naval Academy on May 24, 2019, with a commission as a
- 3 naval submarine officer; and
- WHEREAS, The daughter of Stephanie and Reed Smith and Bruce
- 5 Gibson, Annie Laurie Gibson was born in Houston and graduated from
- 6 Westlake High School in Austin in 2015; she was appointed to the
- 7 service academy by Congressman Roger Williams and went on to earn a
- 8 bachelor's degree in astrophysics with a grade point average of
- 9 3.92; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ms. Gibson gained leadership experience as a
- 11 training corporal, squad leader, and battalion operations officer;
- 12 in addition, she excelled in athletics, competing in the NCAA
- 13 Women's Rowing Championship for two consecutive years and
- 14 completing a marathon as a member of the Navy Marathon Team; and
- WHEREAS, In 2018, Ms. Gibson completed a summer internship at
- 16 the Naval Observatory in Arizona; she was also selected to
- 17 participate in a Naval Language, Regional Expertise, and Culture
- 18 program trip to Morocco; moreover, she took part in a mission to
- 19 Spain with Navy Cru and served as a Bible study leader; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Exciting challenges and opportunities await this
- 21 outstanding young Texan as she joins the ranks of an elite group,
- 22 and her achievement is a source of pride to her family and friends;
- 23 now, therefore, be it
- 24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas

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- 1 Legislature hereby congratulate Annie Laurie Victoria Gibson on her
- 2 graduation from the U.S. Naval Academy and extend to her sincere
- 3 best wishes for continued success; and, be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 5 prepared for Ms. Gibson as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 6 House of Representatives.