By: Bailes H.C.R. No. 6

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Texas and the nation owe an immeasurable debt to the

2 men and women of our armed forces, who have helped to secure and

3 preserve our democratic freedoms; and

WHEREAS, On Veterans Day, employers should seek to honor the

service and sacrifice of veterans in their employment by allowing

them flexibility in celebrating this important day; and

7 WHEREAS, Veterans of the U.S. armed forces have demonstrated

8 their bravery and patriotism by answering their nation's call to

9 duty, stepping forward to serve in many different capacities and

10 locations, often placing themselves in harm's way to safeguard our

11 liberty and security; today, they continue to make valuable

12 contributions as involved members of their communities, and they

13 are deserving of our profound respect and gratitude; now,

14 therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the 87th Legislature of the State of Texas

hereby encourage employers to look for ways to honor veterans on

17 Veterans Day, including allowing veterans a day off in appreciation

18 for their service.