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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, University of North Texas softball player Hope
2 Trautwein earned a place in the school's record books with her
3 flawless pitching performance on April 11, 2021; and

4 WHEREAS, Taking the mound for the opening game of a
5 doubleheader at the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff,
6 Ms. Trautwein threw the first perfect game in UNT softball history,
7 striking out all 21 batters she faced in the 3-0 win; she allowed no
8 walks and no hits and delivered what is believed to be the first
9 unblemished NCAA Division I seven-inning performance in which every
10 out was a strikeout; moreover, her accomplishment marked only the
11 second perfect game ever recorded in Conference USA softball
12 competition; and

13 WHEREAS, Ms. Trautwein has now hurled three collegiate
14 no-hitters, and she has also struck out 21 batters in a single
15 contest on three occasions; she leads UNT in numerous statistical
16 categories and is an All-Conference First Team selection; a former
17 standout player at Hendrickson High School in Pflugerville, she was
18 a two-time All-District pick and was selected as the league Pitcher
19 of the Year in 2017 after leading the Hawks to the regional
20 quarterfinals of the state playoffs; and

21 WHEREAS, By achieving the rare feat of throwing a perfect
22 game, Hope Trautwein has distinguished herself as one of the top
23 pitchers in college softball, and she may indeed reflect with pride
24 on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the 87th Legislature of the State of Texas
2 hereby congratulate Hope Trautwein on pitching a perfect game in
3 which she struck out all 21 opposing batters and extend to her
4 sincere best wishes for continued success as a member of the
5 University of North Texas softball team; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
7 prepared for Ms. Trautwein as an expression of high regard by the
8 Texas House of Representatives and Senate.