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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Darryl S. Johnson earned his bachelor's degree in  
2 political science from American Public University in 2020, and this  
3 achievement truly merits special recognition; and

4           WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson has previously studied at The  
5 University of Texas at Austin and Texas A&M University-Kingsville,  
6 and he is currently pursuing graduate studies at Prairie View A&M  
7 University; and

8           WHEREAS, Over the years, Mr. Johnson has gained a wealth of  
9 experience in public service; early in his career, he was an intern  
10 in the offices of Governor Dolph Briscoe and U.S. Representatives  
11 Bill Gray and Charles Wilson, and he was a staff member for Governor  
12 Mark White; he was also a staffer for Texas State Representatives  
13 Paul Ragsdale, Fred L. Blair, Garfield W. Thompson, Delwin Jones,  
14 Larry Evans, Harold Dutton, and Roberto Gutiérrez, and he served  
15 for a time as director of the Texas Legislative Black Caucus; and

16           WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson has worked for three Texas Secretaries  
17 of State, as well as for the Texas Department of Insurance, the  
18 Texas Water Development Board, and the Texas Water Commission; as a  
19 political consultant, his clients have included the Associated  
20 General Contractors, the Texas Society of Professional Engineers,  
21 and the Outdoor Advertising Association, among others; he is  
22 currently the principal owner of Johnson Jones Benefits, an  
23 independent health insurance company; and

24           WHEREAS, A longtime resident of Prairie View, Mr. Johnson has

1 served on the Waller County Airport Commission and as the county's  
2 representative to the Houston-Galveston Area Council; a man of  
3 strong faith, he established a men's breakfast program at  
4 St. Francis of Assisi Episcopal Church as well as a college  
5 ministry and a men's Christmas caroling group; and

6 WHEREAS, Darryl Johnson may take great pride in his long  
7 record of service and achievement, and his graduation from American  
8 Public University represents a significant milestone in his life;  
9 now, therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas  
11 Legislature hereby congratulate Darryl S. Johnson on his graduation  
12 from American Public University and extend to him sincere best  
13 wishes for continued success; and, be it further

14 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
15 prepared for Mr. Johnson as an expression of high regard by the  
16 Texas House of Representatives.