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H.R. No. 1391

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Curtis Jenkins, a bus driver for Lake Highlands
2 Elementary School, was promoted to a new position as a relationship
3 specialist for the Richardson Independent School District in 2020;
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5 WHEREAS, Mr. Jenkins went above and beyond his
6 responsibilities as the driver of Bus No. 1693, where he created a
7 self-contained community in which students held jobs, earned "bus
8 bucks," and learned lessons about respect, courtesy, and other
9 values during their daily rides; his ability to foster a sense of
10 community and inspire engagement among the students of Lake
11 Highlands Elementary captured the attention of Richardson ISD
12 officials, and in his new role with its Human Resources department,
13 he oversees the district's focus on supporting the career
14 development of hourly and paraprofessional staff members; and

15 WHEREAS, Committed to encouraging kindness and compassion in
16 young Texans, Mr. Jenkins has received recognition for his own acts
17 of generosity; he made headlines around the country after
18 purchasing Christmas gifts for students, and on several occasions,
19 he has also bought Thanksgiving turkeys for families in need; and

20 WHEREAS, Curtis Jenkins has demonstrated commendable
21 dedication to helping students develop as young men and women of
22 good character, and Richardson ISD is fortunate to continue to
23 benefit from his service; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas

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1 Legislature hereby congratulate Curtis Jenkins on his promotion to
2 the position of relationship specialist for Richardson ISD and
3 extend to him sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for Mr. Jenkins as an expression of high regard by the
7 Texas House of Representatives.