RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, May 28, 2021, marks the 61st wedding anniversary of
- 2 Ruben and Naomi Garcia of Laredo, and this joyous event provides a
- 3 fitting opportunity to reflect on their rewarding journey together
- 4 as husband and wife; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Ruben Garcia and the former Maria Naomi Peña were
- 6 joined in matrimony in 1960 at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church in
- 7 Laredo; over the years, they have been blessed with a treasured
- 8 family that includes their children, Maya, Celina, Gabriela, and
- 9 Guillermo, as well as their grandchildren, James, Andrea, Cristina,
- 10 Nicolas, Victoria, and Matthew, and great-grandchildren, Ava and
- 11 Levi; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Mr. and
- 13 Mrs. Garcia have devoted their careers to serving their fellow
- 14 Texans; after graduating from The University of Texas at Austin
- 15 School of Law in 1958, Mr. Garcia joined the U.S. Army Reserve, and
- 16 in 1959, he passed the Texas State Bar exam; he began a law practice
- in 1960, and he went on to become the Webb County Attorney in 1977;
- 18 he was subsequently elected as the 49th District Court Judge, and he
- 19 served in that position for eight years before returning to the
- 20 practice of law in 1988 and retiring in 1995; Mrs. Garcia graduated
- 21 from Texas Woman's University in 1958, and that same year, she began
- 22 teaching at her alma mater, Ursuline Academy; she enjoyed a long
- 23 tenure with the Laredo Independent School District until her
- 24 retirement in 1994; and

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- 1 WHEREAS, The more than six decades of marriage that Mr. and
- 2 Mrs. Garcia have shared is eloquent affirmation of the meaning of
- 3 love and commitment, and their enduring union is an inspiration to
- 4 all who know them; now, therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 6 Legislature hereby congratulate Ruben and Naomi Garcia on their
- 7 61st wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes for
- 8 continued happiness; and, be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 10 prepared for the couple as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 11 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1762 was adopted by the House on May 29, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House