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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act of 1986
- 2 has allowed vaccine manufacturers to operate with impunity,
- 3 shielded from accountability, while American taxpayers ultimately
- 4 pay the price for injuries caused by their products; and
- 5 WHEREAS, The NCVIA has shielded vaccine manufacturers from
- 6 any and all liability for injuries and deaths resulting from the use
- 7 of their products; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Enacted on November 14, 1986, the NCVIA has
- 9 prevented millions of vaccine-injured individuals from having
- 10 their claims heard by a jury of their peers and has denied them
- 11 their state and federal constitutional rights of due process; and
- 12 WHEREAS, The NCVIA has caused disparities between vaccine
- 13 research, other forms of medical research, and the testing of
- 14 medical drugs; knowing that they are shielded from claims of
- 15 vaccine injury and death, vaccine manufacturers have no incentive
- 16 to test their products as rigorously as do manufacturers of other
- 17 medical drugs; now, therefore, be it
- 18 RESOLVED, That the 88th Legislature of the State of Texas
- 19 respectfully urge the United States Congress to repeal the National
- 20 Childhood Vaccine Injury Act of 1986; and, be it further
- 21 RESOLVED, That the Texas secretary of state forward official
- 22 copies of this resolution to the president of the United States, to
- 23 the president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of
- 24 Representatives of the United States Congress, and to all the

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- 1 members of the Texas delegation to Congress with the request that
- 2 this resolution be officially entered in the Congressional Record
- 3 as a memorial to the Congress of the United States of America.