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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, National PEO Week is taking place from May 21
2 through 27, 2023, providing a fitting opportunity to recognize
3 professional employer organizations for their contributions to
4 businesses across the United States; and

5 WHEREAS, The national professional employer organization
6 (PEO) industry provides payroll and human resources services to
7 hundreds of thousands of small and mid-sized businesses that, in
8 total, employ more than 4 million people; and

9 WHEREAS, Professional employer organizations help companies
10 improve productivity and profitability, expand their reach, and
11 achieve their goals; and

12 WHEREAS, By partnering with a PEO, businesses are able to
13 offer their employees retirement plans, health, dental, and life
14 insurance, dependent care, and other important benefits; and

15 WHEREAS, Professional employer organizations play an
16 instrumental role in ensuring that businesses continue to thrive
17 during challenging times, including the COVID-19 pandemic, when
18 these organizations helped their clients secure financial
19 assistance, manage employee leave, and apply for available tax
20 credits; and

21 WHEREAS, According to the National Association of
22 Professional Employer Organizations, businesses that partnered
23 with a PEO during the pandemic were nearly 60 percent less likely to
24 permanently close; and

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1 WHEREAS, Professional employer organizations are a vital
2 asset to the businesses they serve, and it is a pleasure to join in
3 honoring these groups for their outstanding work; now, therefore,
4 be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas
6 Legislature hereby recognize May 21 through 27, 2023, as National
7 PEO Week and extend to all those involved in the professional
8 employer organization industry sincere best wishes for the future.