

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Manufacturers in Texas play an integral role in the
2 state's economy and development, and their important contributions
3 merit special recognition; and

4 WHEREAS, Texas manufacturing contributes more than
5 \$292 billion to the state's economy, totaling 11 percent of the
6 state's gross output; because of this outstanding level of
7 production, Texas is one of the nation's leading exporters of
8 manufactured goods, with items made in the state representing
9 nearly \$292 billion of the manufactured products exported from the
10 United States; and

11 WHEREAS, Approximately 847,000 Texans work in the sector,
12 receiving an average annual compensation of over \$123,000; these
13 positions spur subsequent growth, with every new manufacturing job
14 leading to the creation of 7 to 12 additional openings; moreover,
15 manufacturing is responsible for 70 percent of all research and
16 development spending; and

17 WHEREAS, The wide variety of products manufactured in Texas
18 includes chemicals, computers and semiconductors, electronics,
19 machinery, petroleum and coal goods, pharmaceuticals and medical
20 devices, food and beverage items, agricultural products, aerospace
21 products, motor vehicles, plastics, textiles, steel, and rubber;
22 this broad diversity is key to maintaining a competitive advantage
23 in an increasingly global economy; and

24 WHEREAS, Across the state, the industry is represented by

1 such central professional associations as the Texas Association of
2 Manufacturers, as well as by myriad regional associations,
3 including those in San Antonio, North Texas, Dallas County, South
4 Texas, Harlingen, San Marcos, New Braunfels, Washington County,
5 Greater Houston, Harris County, and Austin Regional; and

6 WHEREAS, Manufacturers drive innovation, create high-paying
7 jobs for numerous Texans, and contribute to the future economic
8 health of the Lone Star State; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 89th Texas
10 Legislature hereby recognize February 18, 2025, as Texas
11 Manufacturers' Day at the State Capitol and extend to all those
12 associated with these vital businesses sincere best wishes for
13 continued success.

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Burrows	Guerra	Morales Shaw
Alders	Guillen	Morgan
Allen	Harless	Muñoz
Anchía	Harris	Noble
Ashby	Harris Davila	Olcott
Barry	Harrison	Oliverson
Bell of Kaufman	Hayes	Ordaz
Bell of Montgomery	Hefner	Orr
Bernal	Hernandez	Patterson
Bhojani	Hickland	Paul
Bonnen	Hinojosa	Perez of El Paso
Bowers	Holt	Perez of Harris
Bryant	Hopper	Phelan
Buckley	Howard	Pierson
Bucy	Hull	Plesa
Bumgarner	Hunter	Raymond
Button	Isaac	Reynolds
Cain	Johnson	Richardson
Campos	Jones of Dallas	Rodríguez Ramos
Canales	Jones of Harris	Romero
Capriglione	Kerwin	Rose
Cole	King	Rosenthal
Collier	Kitzman	Schatzline
Cook	LaHood	Schofield
Cortez	Lalani	Schoolcraft
Craddick	Lambert	Shaheen
Cunningham	Landgraf	Shofner
Curry	Leach	Simmons
Darby	Leo Wilson	Slawson
A. Davis of Dallas	Little	Smithee
Y. Davis of Dallas	Longoria	Spiller
Dean	Lopez of Bexar	Swanson
DeAyala	Lopez of Cameron	Talarico
Dorazio	Louderback	Tepper
Dutton	Lowe	Thompson
Dyson	Lozano	Tinderholt
Fairly	Lujan	Toth
Flores	Luther	Troxclair
Frank	Manuel	Turner
Gámez	Martinez	VanDeaver
Garcia of Bexar	Martinez Fischer	Vasut
Garcia of Dallas	McLaughlin	Villalobos
Garcia Hernandez	McQueeney	Virdell
Gates	Metcalf	Vo
Gerdes	Meyer	Walle
Geren	Meza	Ward Johnson
Gervin-Hawkins	Money	Wharton
González of Dallas	Moody	Wilson
González of El Paso	Morales of Harris	Wu
Goodwin	Morales of Maverick	Zwiener

H.R. No. 235

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 235 was adopted by the House on February 18, 2025, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House