1-1 By: Bailes (Senate Sponsor - Creighton) H.C.R. No. 59
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 18, 2017;
1-3 May 12, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on State
1-4 Affairs; May 19, 2017, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-5 Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 19, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOT

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1-8	Huffman	Χ			
1-9	Hughes	X			
1-10	Birdwell	Χ			
1-11	Creighton	Χ			
1-12	Estes	X			
1-13	Lucio	X			
1-14	Nelson	X			
1-15	Schwertner	X			
1-16	Zaffirini	Χ			

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, For too long, Congress has proven itself fiscally irresponsible and has created a crushing national debt through improvident and imprudent spending; and

WHEREAS, The deleterious effect of this fiscal mismanagement on our economy and the strength of our nation is ongoing and the consequences of inaction are severe; and

WHEREAS, Setting a federal budget is an essential aspect of governing, and Congress must accept its responsibility to regularly pass a budget bill; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the 85th Legislature of the State of Texas hereby respectfully urge the Congress of the United States to pass a budget; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Texas secretary of state forward official copies of this resolution to the president of the United States, to the president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress, and to all the members of the Texas delegation to Congress with the request that this resolution be officially entered into the Congressional Record as a memorial to the Congress of the United States of America.

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