

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, State Representative Sid Miller of Stephenville
2 earned national acclaim in September 2004 when he was named the
3 United States Calf Roping Association's World Champion; and

4 WHEREAS, Amidst the pain of two ruptured discs,
5 Representative Miller managed to not only claim the prestigious
6 title, but set a world record as well; in recognition of his
7 outstanding showing, this lariat-wielding legislator was awarded a
8 cash prize, a silver belt buckle, and a new saddle, which is proudly
9 displayed in his office; and

10 WHEREAS, Representative Miller's life as a cowboy began years
11 ago when he was a member of the Cisco Junior College rodeo team,
12 although it has been said that his favorite event was actually
13 attending the dances after the competitions; following a 27-year
14 break, he returned to the rodeo arena when his youngest son, Joseph,
15 wanted to learn the sport and needed a seasoned veteran to literally
16 show him the ropes; and

17 WHEREAS, With a reignited passion, Representative Miller
18 donned his boots and before long was roping a hundred calves a week
19 for practice, honing his competitive edge, spending quality time
20 with his son, and having the time of his life; and

21 WHEREAS, Calf roping has become quite the family affair in
22 the Miller household; in fact, Representative Miller's September
23 victory saw him best both his son and his brother, Dustin Miller,
24 who is a Select World calf roping champion and the trainer of the

1 Millers' faithful steeds, Chigger and Pearl; and

2 WHEREAS, Whether in the saddle or on the house floor,
3 Representative Sid Miller has lassoed the lasting respect and
4 admiration of all who are privileged to know him, and at this time
5 it is indeed a pleasure to tip our hats in his direction; now,
6 therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas
8 Legislature hereby congratulate our colleague Sid Miller on winning
9 the United States Calf Roping Association World Championship and
10 setting a world record, and extend to him sincere best wishes for
11 catchable calves, timely tie-downs, and freedom from fractures in
12 the years to come; and, be it further

13 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
14 prepared for Representative Miller as an expression of high regard
15 by his fellow members in the Texas House of Representatives.

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H.R. No. 1287

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1287 was adopted by the House on May 18, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House