1	House Resolution
2	A resolution designating the week of May 7
3	through May 13, 2000, as Teacher Appreciation
4	Week.
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6	WHEREAS, every day more than 147,000 teachers make
7	tremendous differences in the lives of students throughout the
8	State of Florida, and
9	WHEREAS, quality teachers are the most significant
10	factor in improving student achievement, and
11	WHEREAS, giving teachers the recognition they deserve
12	is just one way we can continue to enhance the quality of
13	education in Florida, and
14	WHEREAS, the designation of May 7 through May 13 as
15	Teacher Appreciation Week in Florida marks the sixteenth
16	annual observance of Teacher Appreciation Week in the state,
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18	WHEREAS, Teacher Appreciation Week was established in
19	1985 by the National Education Association and the National
20	Parent Teacher Association as a time to focus national
21	attention on the outstanding contributions teachers make to
22	our society, our country, our state, and our future, and
23	WHEREAS, it is fitting and appropriate that the House
24	of Representatives designate the week of May 7 through May 13
25	as Teacher Appreciation Week in the State of Florida, NOW,
26	THEREFORE,
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28	Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
29	Florida:
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That the House of Representatives of the State of Florida commends teachers throughout the state for the invaluable contributions they make to the education of the children of Florida and hereby designates May 7 through May 13, 2000, as Teacher Appreciation Week.