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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Allergan company's Waco Manufacturing Facility
is celebrating its 30th anniversary in 2019; and

WHEREAS, Headquartered in Dublin, Ireland, Allergan is a 3 leader in the pharmaceutical industry, manufacturing branded 4 pharmaceutical, biologic, surgical, and regenerative products for 5 the international market, with operations in 100 countries around 6 7 the world; it employs approximately 1,700 people in Texas, including 700 in Waco, 350 in Austin at its customer service center, 8 9 30 in Houston at its manufacturing facility, and a sales staff of 10 550 who work throughout the state; and

11 WHEREAS, The Allergan plant in Waco was established in 1989, 12 and employees at its 400,000-square-foot facility are responsible 13 for the manufacture and quality control of such popular eye care 14 products as Lumigan and Combigan, which treat glaucoma, as well as 15 Restasis and Refresh eye drops; and

16 WHEREAS, The company also contributes to the community 17 through its efforts to hire returning veterans; it has donated 18 \$125,000 to "Heroes MAKE America," a career training program for 19 veterans sponsored by the National Association of Manufacturers; 20 and

21 WHEREAS, By providing jobs for Texans and contributing to the 22 regional economy, the Allergan plant in Waco has made a significant 23 positive impact in Central Texas, and it is truly deserving of 24 special recognition on this special occasion; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the 86th Legislature of the State of Texas 2 hereby commemorate the 30th anniversary of Allergan's Waco 3 Manufacturing Facility and extend to all those associated with the 4 plant sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further 5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 6 prepared for Allergan as an expression of high regard by the Texas 7 House of Representatives and Senate.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.C.R. No. 163 was adopted by the House on April 26, 2019, by a non-record vote

Chief Clerk of the Hous

I certify that H.C.R. No. 163 was adopted by the Senate on May 1, 2019, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED:

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Date

Governor

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