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Passage of Military Base Protection Bill (SB277)

AUSTIN, TX – State Representative Todd Hunter (R-Corpus Christi) today assisted in the passage of SB277 by Sen. Donna Campbell (R-New Braunfels) and Rep. James Frank (R-Wichita Falls) which protects the long-term viability of Texas bases to carry out their missions.

SB277 will protect as many as nine military locations from encroachment. This bill helps the future of pilot training in Texas and will hopefully protect our bases in any future BRAC proceedings.

"Thanks to everyone for working on this tremendous legislation. The Coastal Bend has shown their unity and strong support for our great military," said Rep. Hunter.

"Standing up for our military families, veterans and bases is our highest responsibility as lawmakers. I'm proud to represent NAS-Kingsville and to support NAS-Corpus Christi. SB277 protects our military communities and ensures our servicemen can continue to train right here in the Coastal Bend. Our South Texas communities, businesses, families and lawmakers will always defend our U.S. military," said Rep. Lozano.

About Rep. Todd Hunter

Todd A. Hunter was born in Bartlesville, Oklahoma on August 26, 1953. He attended the University of Kansas and Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law. Hunter has practiced law since November 1978 and is currently a partner of Hunter, Barker & Fancher, in Corpus Christi, Texas. Todd and his wife, Alexis Taylor Hunter, have three children: Todd Jr., Michael and Christina.

In 2016, Representative Hunter was elected to his 9th term. His key issues are Windstorm, Cruise Ship Development, Water, Workforce Development, Anti-Human Trafficking and Domestic Violence. Hunter has lived in the Coastal Bend since 1978 and has served as a State Representative for Nueces, San Patricio, Aransas, Calhoun, Jackson and Refugio counties.

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