

Senate Resolution 798

By: Senators Jones of the 10th, Lucas of the 26th, Seay of the 34th, Orrock of the 36th, Rhett of the 33rd and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Delyno Brown; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Delyno Brown was born on August 5, 1981, in St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands;
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4 WHEREAS, he was introduced to music at a very young age by his father, who was a
5 member of a popular local band; and

6 WHEREAS, he first rose to popularity in the Virgin Islands and in regional and national
7 reggae circles as a member of the Star Lion Family reggae group, a group of seven young
8 local artists; and

9 WHEREAS, called "Pressure" by virtue of the hard times and daily struggle we all face, he
10 is an artist dedicated to consistently delivering conscious messages to teach and unite the
11 masses through his musical talents; and

12 WHEREAS, his discography is too numerous to list in full, but highlights include his debut
13 album, *The Pressure Is On* and a full-length album of heavyweight roots and cultural tracks
14 entitled *The Sound*; and

15 WHEREAS, the track "Virgin Island's Nice" became the epicenter of a massive global scale
16 marketing campaign for the U.S. Virgin Islands; and

17 WHEREAS, he gives generously of his time and talent to numerous charitable and civic
18 organizations, including the Hurricane Relief Tour and a peace concert in St. Thomas in
19 August 2013; and

20 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
21 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he makes of his life, he
22 makes this world a better place in which to live; and

23 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
24 remarkable and distinguished musician be appropriately recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
26 recognize and commend Delyno Brown and thank him for his many contributions to the
27 world of music.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
29 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Delyno Brown.