

Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6

BY REPRESENTATIVES LEGER, AUSTIN BADON, BISHOP, BROSSETT, MORENO,
AND STIAES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Doris R. Hicks for being awarded the Leo B. Marsh Award at the Forty-First National Salute to Black Achievers in Industry Gala.

WHEREAS, Dr. Doris R. Hicks, principal of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Charter School for Science and Technology in New Orleans, was awarded the Leo B. Marsh Award at the Forty-First National Salute to Black Achievers in Industry Gala; and

WHEREAS, the gala took place on Thursday, March 17, 2011, in the Broadway Ballroom of the New York Marriott Marquis Hotel; and

WHEREAS, Black Achievers in Industry Gala was conceived by the late Dr. Leo B. Marsh in partnership with the Harlem Branch of the YMCA of Greater New York; his namesake award, the Leo B. Marsh Award, was established to recognize deserving individuals who have committed themselves to youth-centered community service; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Hicks is an extraordinary principal who plays a vital role in helping her school achieve its mission of creating and maintaining an orderly, trusting environment where teaching and learning are innovative and exciting and where students are taught to read, write, compute, and think critically according to their fullest potential; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Hicks' steadfast commitment to her students and community has led her school through the destruction of Hurricane Katrina and brings tremendous pride and honor to the city of New Orleans and the state of Louisiana.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Dr. Doris R. Hicks for being awarded the Leo B. Marsh Award at the Forty-First National Salute to Black Achievers in Industry Gala and does hereby wish her continued success in all of her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Dr. Doris R. Hicks.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE