HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of State Civil Service to develop and the State Civil Service Commission to adopt an executive service program.

WHEREAS, it is vital that state agencies secure greater administrative and program efficiency and economy; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the state of Louisiana deserve a responsive government and rightfully expect that all reasonable measures will be taken to maximize responsiveness and effectiveness of state government in the most cost-efficient manner possible; and

WHEREAS, attaining this goal requires the application of modern and effective management practices, which give agencies the flexibility necessary to efficiently deliver services to the people of this state, to motivate senior management, and to ensure the rapid development of administrative teams.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Department of State Civil Service to develop and the State Civil Service Commission to adopt an executive service program dealing with senior management positions in state service in order to:

- (1) Provide appointing authorities greater flexibility in building policy implementation teams comprised of experienced and knowledgeable senior managers.
- (2) Provide recognition to skilled managers who excel in assisting the agency in meeting its mission goals.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby request the Department of State Civil Service to submit a report of its progress on the initiatives requested in this Resolution to the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and to the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs no later than July 1, 2011.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, in lieu of a copy sent via the United States Postal Service, a copy of this Resolution be transmitted via electronic mail to the director of the Department of State Civil Service and to the State Civil Service Commission.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE