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## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 143

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, ABRAMSON, ANDERS, ARMES, ARNOLD, AUBERT, AUSTIN BADON, BOBBY BADON, BALDONE, BARRAS, BARROW, BILLIOT, BISHOP, BROSSETT, BURFORD, HENRY BURNS, TIM BURNS, BURRELL, CARMODY, CARTER, CHAMPAGNE, CHANDLER, CHANEY, CONNICK, CORTEZ, CROMER, DANAHAY, DIXON, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, EDWARDS, ELLINGTON, FANNIN, FOIL, FRANKLIN, GALLOT, GEYMANN, GISCLAIR, GREENE, GUILLORY, GUINN, HARDY, HARRISON, HAZEL, HENDERSON, HENRY, HENSGENS, HILL, HINES, HOFFMANN, HONORE, HOWARD, HUTTER, HUVAL, GIROD JACKSON, MICHAEL JACKSON, JOHNSON, SAM JONES, KATZ, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANDRY, LEBAS, LEGER, LIGI, LITTLE, LOPINTO, LORUSSO, MCVEA, MONICA, MONTOUCET, MORENO, MORRIS, NORTON, NOWLIN, PEARSON, PONTI, POPE, PUGH, RICHARD, RICHARDSON, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROY, SCHRODER, SEABAUGH, SIMON, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, PATRICIA SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STIAES, TALBOT, TEMPLET, THIBAUT, THIERRY, WHITE, WILLIAMS, WILLMOTT, AND WOOTON

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the Honorable Rosalind D. Jones and to express enduring gratitude for her outstanding contributions to Ouachita Parish and the state of Louisiana, particularly during her tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

WHEREAS, Rosalind Jones is a public servant who has served with excellence as a state representative since taking office in 2008, during which time she has fully used every opportunity to serve the citizens of her district and the state in an honorable and dedicated manner; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of the Southern University Law Center, Representative Jones has served as a member of the Democratic Caucus, the Louisiana Legislative Black Caucus, the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus, and the Louisiana Rural Caucus; and

WHEREAS, Representative Jones's diligent committee service has included serving as chair of the House Committee on Judiciary and as a member of the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and the Legislative Budgetary Control Council; and

WHEREAS, during her time in the House of Representatives, Representative Jones has worked on and supported many important pieces of legislation; and

WHEREAS, as she prepares to begin the next exciting and productive chapter of her life, Representative Jones merits a sincere measure of commendation for her singular contributions and the exemplary strides she has taken as an exceptional member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana hereby commends the Honorable Rosalind D. Jones, hereby extends honor and recognition to her for her outstanding accomplishments, particularly during her tenure as a member of the Louisiana House of Representatives, which has been marked by her uncompromising endeavor to improve the welfare of her constituents in Ouachita Parish and the citizens of the state of Louisiana, and hereby pays tribute to her for the generous and effective way in which she has dedicated her intelligence and her energy to the service of her family, friends, community, and state.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Louisiana House of Representatives hereby expresses enduring gratitude to Representative Jones for her service to the citizens of Louisiana, as evidenced by her superlative achievements as a member of this distinguished body, and hereby extends to her the best wishes of all of her colleagues for continued prosperity and success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Honorable Rosalind Jones.

## SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES