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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 66

BY REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG

A RESOLUTION

To commend John Pierre on his appointment as chancellor of Southern University.

WHEREAS, John K. Pierre is from the small farming town of Loreauville, Louisiana, and he is the thirteenth child born to his parents' union; he attended Southern University, where he graduated with a bachelor's degree in accounting; he completed a graduate program at Texas Tech University and studied law at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas; and

WHEREAS, after completing his education, Mr. Pierre joined the United States Army and served as a JAG officer from 1986 until 1990; he then accepted a position on the Southern University faculty and taught law courses; after more than two decades of service to the university, he was appointed chancellor of Southern University Law Center in 2016; and

WHEREAS, John K. Pierre is a testament to the power of perseverance, and he is most deserving of the highest recognition on his appointment as the new chancellor of Southern University in Baton Rouge.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend John Pierre on his appointment as chancellor of Southern University and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that he prosper in his new role and in all of his endeavors.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES