SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31

BY SENATOR ERDEY AND REPRESENTATIVES HONORE, MACK AND RICHARD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study improving

the Bend Road Bridge on Louisiana Highway 1020 in Livingston Parish.

WHEREAS, the Bend Road Bridge on Louisiana Highway 1020 in Livingston Parish

is an old and narrow bridge; and

WHEREAS, the roadway lanes on the bridge are so narrow that large vehicles such

as school buses and commercial vehicles that regularly travel across the bridge may not

safely cross the bridge in opposite directions at the same time; and

WHEREAS, numerous accidents have occurred on the bridge; and

WHEREAS, the Bend Road Bridge on Louisiana Highway 1020 needs to be widened

and rehabilitated to safely accommodate the many vehicles which regularly cross it.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby

urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study improving the

Bend Road Bridge on Louisiana Highway 1020 in Livingston Parish.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana further requests the

Department of Transportation and Development to submit a written report of its findings and

recommendations to the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works

and the House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works not later than

February 1, 2015.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the

secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES