

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 147

BY SENATOR SMITH

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Beauregard Parish Registrar of Voters Evelina Smith upon her retirement on June 30, 2011.

WHEREAS, Evelina Smith began her public service in 1963, as an employee in the Allen Parish Registrar of Voters office; and

WHEREAS, she moved to the Beauregard Parish Registrar of Voters office in 1971; and

WHEREAS, Evelina Smith became the Beauregard Parish Registrar of Voters in 1983; and

WHEREAS, during her public service which spans six different decades, she has assisted thousands of Louisiana citizens register to exercise their privilege to vote in countless elections; and

WHEREAS, she is the loving, caring, dedicated wife of Leonard Smith for almost fifty years; and

WHEREAS, Evelina Smith is very proud of her three children and five grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, as an active member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in DeRidder and past member of the Parish Council, she was recognized as the Evangelizer of the Year by the Bishop of the Lake Charles Diocese in 1998; and

WHEREAS, Evelina Smith has volunteered much of her time to the Beauregard Association of Retarded Citizens; and

WHEREAS, her lifetime of public service, dedication to family, community, and faith is an example to others.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate Beauregard Parish Registrar of Voters Evelina Smith upon her retirement.

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**ENROLLED**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
Beauregard Parish Registrar of Voters Evelina Smith.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE