

2021 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 236

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

JUDGES. Requests the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal to make recommendations for the redistricting of election districts of the court.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To urge and request the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal of Louisiana to submit
3 recommendations for redistricting the districts of the court based upon the 2020
4 decennial federal census.

5 WHEREAS, following the release of the 2020 federal decennial census redistricting
6 data, the legislature may redistrict the election districts established by law for courts in this
7 state; and

8 WHEREAS, R.S. 13:312(4)(b) divides the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal into three
9 election districts; and

10 WHEREAS, in the exercise of its authority, the Senate seeks recommendations from
11 the court regarding redistricting the election districts of the court based upon the 2020
12 decennial federal census.

13 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
14 does hereby urge and request the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal to submit recommendations
15 for redistricting the election districts of the court based upon the 2020 federal census to the
16 Senate no later than sixty days after the P.L. 94-171 data of the 2020 decennial federal
17 census is reported to the state.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be transmitted

1 to the Chief Judge of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeal of Louisiana.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jerry J. Guillot.

DIGEST

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