

Regular Session, 2012

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 62

BY SENATOR LONG

CONDOLENCES. Expresses condolences upon the death of Avis Chelette Jones.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of
3 Louisiana upon the death of Avis Chelette Jones.

4 WHEREAS, it is with great sorrow that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
5 has learned of the death of Avis Chelette Jones; and

6 WHEREAS, Mrs. Jones passed away at her home in Cloutierville on March 28, 2012,
7 at the age of ninety; and

8 WHEREAS, she is preceded in death by her parents, Frank and Eva Chelette; her
9 husband, Victor Jones Sr.; her sisters, Mavis LaCour and Everette; one brother, Frank
10 Chelette; and a grandson, Chad Jones; and

11 WHEREAS, she is survived by her six children, Yvonne Jones, Peggy Braxton,
12 Victor Jones Jr., Jerry "Pete" Jones, Rita Jones, and Pat Roque; two stepchildren, Kenneth
13 Metoyer and Susie Brooks; two sisters, Irene Johnson and Gertrude Chelette; nineteen
14 grandchildren; twenty-four great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, family, and
15 friends; and

16 WHEREAS, Avis Chelette Jones was a woman of wisdom who used her talents,
17 integrity, and passion to change her community and state for the better; and

18 WHEREAS, upon her death, the world lost a unique individual who left an indelible

1 mark upon the lives of all those who knew her; and

2 WHEREAS, because of her numerous accomplishments in public and private life,
3 the death of Avis Chelette Jones has left a void in her community and has created a genuine
4 sense of profound sorrow in her friends and family; and

5 WHEREAS, the memory of Avis Chelette Jones will remain eternal in the hearts and
6 minds of her family, friends, and all of those whose lives she touched and who loved her.

7 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
8 does hereby express its sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Avis Chelette
9 Jones.

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
11 family of Avis Chelette Jones.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Nancy Vicknair.

DIGEST

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