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S. RES. 223

Designating July 1, 2011, as “National Caretakers Day”.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Ms. LANDRIEU submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the
Committee on the Judiciary

RESOLUTION

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Whereas caretakers provide necessary support to a variety of individuals, including children, the elderly, and the mentally or physically disabled;

Whereas an estimated 80 percent of caretakers who work with adults provide assistance to those adults every day of the week;

Whereas childcare providers offer a safe environment for the development of children that might not otherwise be available;

Whereas individuals who received dependable childcare as children are more likely to have greater success in school, lower rates of juvenile crime, and a reduced risk of teen pregnancy; and

Whereas childcare providers enable the physical, emotional, intellectual, and spiritual growth of children: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2 (1) designates July 1, 2011, as “National Care-
3 takers Day”; and

4 (2) recognizes the contributions of caretakers to
5 their communities in the United States.

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