

2018 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 128

BY SENATOR PERRY

CONDOLENCES. Expresses the condolences of the Senate of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of U.S. Marine Lance Corporal Dominique J. Clement.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the
3 family of U.S. Marine Lance Corporal Dominique J. Clement upon his death while
4 on active duty service to his country.

5 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement was born in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, on
6 November 14, 1996; and

7 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement grew up in Baton Rouge and shortly after
8 graduating from high school in 2016, would follow his dreams and enlist in the United States
9 Marine Corps; and

10 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement successfully completed the tough basic
11 training required of new enlistees, gaining more confidence in himself as he faced each
12 phase of the intense, thirteen-week challenge; and

13 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement's greatest moment in training came upon his
14 successful completion of The Crucible, and therefore recognized by his superiors for the first
15 time as a Marine, one of the few and proud members of the Corps; and

16 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement received orders after basic training that sent
17 him to the Marine Base at Twentynine Palms, California, where he proudly served his
18 country for two and one-half years; and

1 WHEREAS, tragedy would come into the young Marine's life on February 5, 2018,
2 taking him from his large family back home in Louisiana; and

3 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement's mother, Casey Guidry, upon learning of her
4 son's death, said friends and family should not be sad because of his loss, but should rather
5 celebrate the beauty of his life and all the joy and love that he brought to everyone that he
6 met on his short journey; and

7 WHEREAS, Mrs. Guidry says her son loved to help others, he was an artist, and he
8 was like sunshine to his family and friends, always lifting the spirits of those around him;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Clement is survived by his mother, Casey Guidry;
11 stepfather Kim Guidry; sisters Aigner Clement and Isabella Guidry; grandparents Joyce Pitre
12 and Chief Warrant Officer Freddie Clement; uncles Kevin Nelton, Chad Clement, Colin
13 Clement, and Cody Clement; and his fiancée Breanna King.

14 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
15 does hereby extend its deepest and most heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of
16 U.S. Marine Lance Corporal Dominique Clement, for their immeasurable loss and wish to
17 recognize him for his brave service to his country.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Mrs.
19 Casey Guidry.

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

	DIGEST	
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