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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 58

# BY SENATORS PRESSLY, BASS, JENKINS AND SEABAUGH

COMMENDATIONS. Commends and congratulates Brigadier General Robert W. "Rob" VanHoy II on the occasion of his retirement and recognize his many career accomplishments.

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To commend and congratulate Brigadier General Robert W. "Rob" VanHoy II on the
3	occasion of his retirement and recognize his many career accomplishments.
4	WHEREAS, Brigadier General Robert W. "Rob" VanHoy II has demonstrated
5	exceptional leadership, dedication, and service throughout his distinguished military career;
6	and
7	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy presently serves as the Mobilization Assistant to
8	the Commander, Ninth Air Force (Air Forces Central), Southwest Asia, where he plays a
9	vital role in developing contingency plans and executing air operations for the 20-nation
10	U.S. Central Command area of responsibility covering Central and Southwest Asia; and
11	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy earned his commission through Reserve Officer
12	Training Corps from the University of Louisiana at Lafayette in 1990, and has since held a
13	variety of flying, staff, and command assignments, showcasing his versatility and expertise
14	in air operations; and
15	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy's career highlights include commanding the 93rd
16	Bomb Squadron, serving as Vice Commander of the 2nd Bomb Wing, and commanding the
17	307th Bomb Wing at Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana, among other notable assignments
18	that reflect his commitment to excellence; and

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1	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy is a distinguished command pilot with over 5,800
2	flying hours in various aircraft, including combat experience in support of operations
3	Southern Watch, Joint Endeavor, Joint Guard, Joint Forge, and Enduring Freedom,
4	demonstrating his exceptional skill and dedication to mission success; and
5	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy earned a Bachelor of Science degree from the
6	University of Louisiana at Lafayette, and completed numerous professional development
7	courses, including the Air War College, Joint Command and Staff College, and Enterprise
8	Leadership Seminar, all reflecting his commitment to continuous learning and professional
9	growth; and
10	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy's exemplary service has been recognized with a
11	multitude of awards and decorations, including the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service
12	Medal, Aerial Achievement Medal, and Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, among others,
13	underscoring his outstanding contributions to the United States Air Force; and
14	WHEREAS, Brig. Gen. VanHoy's effective leadership, unwavering dedication, and
15	exceptional contributions to the Air Force and national defense are deserving of the highest
16	commendation and recognition.
17	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
18	does hereby commend and congratulate Brigadier General Robert W. "Rob" VanHoy II on
19	the occasion of his retirement and recognizes and records for posterity his remarkable career,
20	exemplary service, and outstanding contributions to the United States Air Force and the
21	defense of our nation.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Dawn Romero Watson.

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