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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 95

BY SENATOR MIZELL

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SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH. Recognizes May 9, 2025, as Child Care Provider Appreciation Day.

A RESOLUTION

2	To recognize Friday, May 9, 2025, as Child Care Provider Appreciation Day in Louisiana.
3	WHEREAS, it is estimated that nearly 11 million children under age five are cared
4	for by 2.8 million child care providers in the United States; and
5	WHEREAS, the Child Care Association of Louisiana is a statewide, nonprofit
6	organization that represents the interests of licensed child care providers and the children
7	they serve; and
8	WHEREAS, the child care profession supports children's growth, development, and
9	educational advancement and creates a positive economic impact for families and
10	communities; and
11	WHEREAS, child care providers are essential to the health of our communities by
12	fostering welcoming spaces, supporting working families, and creating positive enriching
13	environments where children can develop lifelong skills; and
14	WHEREAS, the state of Louisiana recognizes that child care has been and continues
15	to be a lifeline for families, communities, and the economy and has provided much-needed
16	support to business owners and providers to help sustain the viability of child care by
17	investing in early childhood education; and
18	WHEREAS, support for affordable, accessible high-quality child care represents a

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worthy commitment to help families work, support children's healthy development and 1 2 learning, and keep our economy growing; and 3 WHEREAS, Child Care Provider Appreciation Day is a day set aside to recognize providers, teachers, directors and staff, and all those who work with children and are 4 responsible for their education and care. 5 6 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana 7 does hereby recognize Friday, May 9, 2025, as Child Care Provider Appreciation Day in 8 Louisiana. 9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Tara Emery, president of the Child Care Association of Louisiana, and Cindy Bishop, executive 10 11 director of the Child Care Association of Louisiana.

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