

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17

BY SENATOR HODGES

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Brooklyn Antoinette Kersey on being selected as the 2025-2026 "Student of the Year" at Doyle High School in Livingston Parish.

WHEREAS, Brooklyn Antoinette Kersey has been named the 2025-2026 "Student of the Year" at Doyle High School, an honor reflecting her outstanding dedication to scholarship, leadership, and character; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn Antoinette Kersey has achieved notable academic success, maintaining an impressive 4.2 grade point average and earning an ACT score of 28, and demonstrating discipline and commitment to excellence in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn is the daughter of Brian and Brittany Kersey, who have supported and encouraged her academic, athletic, and personal accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn has distinguished herself as a student-athlete, having played competitive softball for ten years, including five years as a member of the Doyle Lady Tigers softball team, and she has also competed as a powerlifter for Doyle High School's powerlifting team for three years; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn has demonstrated exemplary leadership through active involvement in numerous student organizations, serving as 4-H president, Beta Club vice-president, financial manager for the SADD Club, and as a dedicated member of the school's Future Farmers of America (FFA) Club; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn was further honored by her peers when she was crowned Doyle High School's 2025-2026 Homecoming Queen, recognizing her leadership, integrity, and positive influence within the school community; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn is committed to service and personal growth, enjoying opportunities to give back to her community, pursuing outdoor activities, exploring new interests, and preparing for her future endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Brooklyn plans to attend Louisiana State University to earn a bachelor's degree in human movement sciences, and thereafter transfer to Louisiana State University-New Orleans to pursue a degree in occupational therapy, reflecting her desire to serve others through a meaningful healthcare profession.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate Brooklyn Antoinette Kersey on being selected as the 2025-2026 "Student of the Year" at Doyle High School in Livingston Parish.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Brooklyn Antoinette Kersey.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE