

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 35

BY SENATOR CHABERT

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Grady Gaubert of Thibodaux on his election as chairman of the Petroleum Marketers Association of America for 2015.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Senate is pleased to learn that Grady Gaubert of Thibodaux has been elected chairman of the Petroleum Marketers Association of America for 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Senate is also pleased to learn that Mr. Gaubert holds the distinction of being the first-ever Louisiana petroleum marketer to be elected as chairman of this association; and

WHEREAS, he is a third-generation oil marketer and president of Gaubert Oil, a company that was founded by his grandfather eighty-nine years ago; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Gaubert is an active member in the petroleum marketing industry and is a past president of the Louisiana Oil Marketers and Convenience Store Association and continues to serve on the association's board of directors; and

WHEREAS, nationally, he served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Texaco National Distributor Advisory Council, the Equilon National Distributor Advisory Council, the Shell National Distributor Advisory Council, and the Chevron National Distributor Advisory Council; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Gaubert is also a member of the National Federation of Independent Businesses, National Association of Convenience Stores, the Council for a Better Louisiana and the Louisiana Association of Business and Industry; and

WHEREAS, he served a three-year term as chairman of the Louisiana Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his industry involvement, Mr. Gaubert is an active supporter of his local business community, having served on many boards, including the Chamber of Lafourche and the Bayou Region, Bayou Industrial Group, the Thibodaux Chamber of Commerce, and the Southeastern Oil Jobbers Co-Op.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate Grady Gaubert of Thibodaux on his election as chairman of the Petroleum Marketers Association of America for 2015.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Grady Gaubert.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE