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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACKSON, BOUIE, BAGNERIS, CARPENTER, GARY CARTER, COX, FRANKLIN, GAINES, GLOVER, HALL, JIMMY HARRIS, HUNTER, JAMES, JEFFERSON, JENKINS, JORDAN, TERRY LANDRY, LYONS, MARCELLE, DUSTIN MILLER, NORTON, PIERRE, PRICE, AND SMITH AND SENATORS BARROW, BISHOP, BOUDREAUX, BROWN, CARTER, COLOMB, MORRELL, PETERSON, AND TARVER

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Andrew Jones upon his graduation as the valedictorian of Amite High School

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2	To commend Andrew Jones upon his graduation as the valedictorian of Amite High School.
3	WHEREAS, it is appropriate to acknowledge and celebrate the wonderful
4	achievements of Andrew Jones; and
5	WHEREAS, Andrew Jones was recently prohibited from participating in graduation
6	ceremonies because he refused to shave his facial hair; and
7	WHEREAS, Andrew maintained a 4.0 GPA and participated in varsity football and
8	basketball while working part-time; he was also named Student of the Year; and
9	WHEREAS, State Representative Katrina Jackson and Pastor Roosevelt Wright, III,
10	actively support Andrew Jones, and they are hosting a graduation ceremony for him; and
11	WHEREAS, on Friday, June 17, 2016, Andrew Jones will be given the graduation
12	ceremony he was denied; and
13	WHEREAS, it is appropriate that a sincere measure of commendation be extended
14	to Andrew Jones as his accomplishments are celebrated.
15	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
16	commend Andrew Jones upon his graduation as the valedictorian of Amite High School and
17	does hereby extend to him every good wish for success and happiness in the future.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted

2 to Andrew Jones.

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Commends Andrew Jones, valedictorian of Amite High School.