

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 71

BY SENATORS COLOMB, BARROW, HEWITT, MIZELL AND PETERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES AMEDEE, CARPENTER, DAVIS, EMERSON, HILFERTY, HILL, HODGES, HORTON, JACKSON, NANCY LANDRY, MARCELLE, MORENO, NORTON, SMITH, STOKES, THOMAS AND WHITE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Courtney Lynn Lott on being selected to receive a Women of Excellence Award and a Louisiana Legislative Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

WHEREAS, Courtney Lynn Lott is the daughter of Timothy and Karen Lott; and

WHEREAS, she attended Mount Carmel Academy high school in New Orleans where she was a valedictorian, an ambassador, and a member of the student council; and

WHEREAS, Courtney is an industrial engineering major at Louisiana State University (LSU) and maintains a 3.99 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, as a member of Delta Gamma Sorority, she was director of rituals and received the honor of Most Outstanding Sophomore; and

WHEREAS, Courtney's other honors include the LSU Academic Scholars Resident Award, the TOPS Honors Award, the Willow Johnson Memorial Scholarship, and The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi; and

WHEREAS, she was recently selected to work on a project with LSU Academic Affairs to improve the campus tour process, applying statistical analysis and reengineering tools, and prior to this position, Courtney worked at the LSU Chevron Center, where she assisted in managing the operations of the engineering studio; and

WHEREAS, she attended an LSU study-abroad program last year, visiting several

corporations in Berlin, Leipzig, and Munich, Germany, as well as Prague, Czech Republic, which confirmed her desire to pursue a career which focuses on efficiency, quality, and sustainability, not only for the benefit of the company, but for the workers, the environment, and all of society; and

WHEREAS, Courtney accepted a position as business analytics intern with ArcBest, an integrated logistics solution company headquartered in Fort Smith, Arkansas, during the summer; and

WHEREAS, Courtney is a long-time dancer and her love of ballet continues as she takes classes at LSU and a studio in Baton Rouge in her spare time; she also has a passion for mission and volunteer work and is a leader at her church and at Young Life summer camps; and

WHEREAS, recipients of the Women of Excellence Awards exhibit characteristics of integrity and professionalism, personify excellence in their area of specialty, and are committed to community service to better society as a whole; and

WHEREAS, for 2017, there are four categories for the Women of Excellence Awards: College Women of Excellence, High School Women of Excellence, Louisiana Hero of Excellence, and Nonprofit of Excellence; and

WHEREAS, the recipients of the 2017 Women of Excellence Awards are being recognized at the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation's Women of Excellence Awards & Scholarships Ceremony and Reception on Tuesday, May 9, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Courtney has been named a recipient of a 2017 Women of Excellence Award in the category of College Women of Excellence and is also a recipient of a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship for her accomplishments and personification of excellence in integrity, character, academics, leadership, and community service; and

WHEREAS, Courtney merits a sincere and heartfelt measure of commendation for her dedication to excellence and her outstanding accomplishments, and it is appropriate for the Legislature of Louisiana to commend Courtney upon receipt of a 2017 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation and a Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Courtney Lynn Lott upon receipt of a 2017 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation in the category of College Women of Excellence and the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation Scholarship; does hereby recognize and record for posterity her singular contributions to the citizens of Louisiana; and does hereby extend enduring appreciation for the tremendous pride and honor that she brings to her community and the state of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Courtney Lynn Lott.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES