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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12

BY SENATORS ALLAIN AND CHABERT

COMMENDATIONS. Commends and congratulates Nicholls State University student, Jonathan Bergeron, on outstanding academic achievements.

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To commend and congratulate Nicholls State University student, Jonathan Bergeron, on his
3	outstanding academic achievements.
4	WHEREAS, Jonathan Bergeron is a senior at Nicholls State University; and
5	WHEREAS, he will graduate from the Honors Program in May of 2019, with a
6	Bachelor's of Science in Chemistry; and
7	WHEREAS, Jonathan is a proud native of Chauvin, Louisiana, and graduate of South
8	Terrebonne High School; and
9	WHEREAS, he recently achieved an overall score in the ninety-ninth percentile on
10	the Medical College Admissions Test (MCAT), and scored in the one-hundredth percentile
11	on the chemistry portion of the MCAT; and
12	WHEREAS, Jonathan distinguished himself by maintaining a perfect grade point
13	average in Nicholls' challenging Chemistry curriculum, while also pursuing mentored
14	research, such as synthesizing new chemical compounds; and
15	WHEREAS, his mentor, Professor Uttam Pokharel, said that Jonathan is the best
16	organic chemistry student he has encountered in more than a decade; and
17	WHEREAS, Jonathan authored an honors thesis entitled "Synthesis of
18	Organo-Metallic Polyacenes"; and

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1	WHEREAS, he is active in several honors organizations including Phi Kappa Phi,
2	Phi Eta Sigma, Alpha Lambda Delta, and the American Chemical Society; and
3	WHEREAS, Jonathan volunteers at an assisted living facility expressing compassion
4	and concern for the elderly as he plans and conducts activities for the residents; and
5	WHEREAS, Jonathan plans to attend the Louisiana State University Health Science
6	Center School of Medicine in New Orleans after graduation.
7	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
8	does hereby commend and congratulate Nicholls State University student, Jonathan
9	Bergeron, on his outstanding academic achievements.
10	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
11	Jonathan Bergeron and Dr. Jay Clune, president of Nicholls State University.
	The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Alan Miller.

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