

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40

BY SENATORS CORTEZ, ABRAHAM, ALLAIN, BARROW, BERNARD, BOUDREAUX, BOUIE, CARTER, CATHEY, CLOUD, CONNICK, FESI, FIELDS, FOIL, HARRIS, HENRY, HENSGENS, HEWITT, JACKSON, JOHNS, LAMBERT, LUNEAU, MCMATH, MILLIGAN, FRED MILLS, ROBERT MILLS, MIZELL, MORRIS, PEACOCK, PETERSON, POPE, PRICE, REESE, SMITH, TALBOT, TARVER, WARD, WHITE AND WOMACK

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Justin Jefferson on an outstanding 2019 season with the Louisiana State University Fighting Tigers football team and on being the new record holder for receptions in a single season.

WHEREAS, Justin Jefferson attended Destrehan High School in Destrehan, Louisiana, and committed to Louisiana State University (LSU) to play college football as a wide receiver; and

WHEREAS, as a junior in 2019, he led the country with one hundred eleven receptions, his eighteen receiving touchdowns ranked second in the country, and his one thousand five hundred forty receiving yards were third most; and

WHEREAS, Justin had a historic performance in the Peach Bowl, catching fourteen passes for two hundred twenty-seven yards and four touchdowns; and

WHEREAS, all four touchdowns came in the first half and set a College Football Playoff game record and tied the record for any bowl game; and

WHEREAS, on January 15, 2020, Justin announced that he would forgo his senior season and enter the NFL Draft; and

WHEREAS, Justin Jefferson is a talented athlete who demonstrates impeccable leadership and a commitment to excellence that is truly commendable; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting to herald the achievements of Louisiana's accomplished young men like Justin Jefferson, a model citizen who represents the best and brightest of the state and who is deserving of the honors bestowed upon him as a member of the Louisiana State University Fighting Tigers football team.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and congratulate Justin Jefferson on an outstanding 2019 football season as a wide receiver for the Louisiana State University Fighting Tigers, does hereby record for posterity the pride and honor that he brings to his family, friends, community, the state of Louisiana, and the United States of America, and does hereby extend to him best wishes for continued success and happiness in all of his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Justin Jefferson.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES