

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 80

BY SENATOR FOIL

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Gulf State Renewable Energy Industries Association and to designate Monday, May 5, 2025, as Gulf State Renewable Energy Industries Association Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

WHEREAS, Gulf State Renewable Energy Industries Association (GSREIA) is a trade association of member companies leading the renewable energy industry; and

WHEREAS, the renewable energy sector includes a diverse array of companies throughout the supply chain, including manufacturers, suppliers, distributors, and developers of energy systems and components, as well as providers of installation, maintenance, and grid integration services; and

WHEREAS, GSREIA is at the forefront of advocacy and education for the renewable energy industry, and has fostered expansion of the renewable energy sector in terms of utility scale, commercial and residential energy generation and storage; these efforts create jobs and save taxpayer money; and

WHEREAS, GSREIA promotes the expansion of solar energy generation in terms of growing the renewable energy sector as a whole, and has strengthened our region's renewable energy infrastructure by considerable measures; these efforts have also contributed to the enhancement of Louisiana's energy security and resiliency in the face of natural disasters; and

WHEREAS, GSREIA includes companies across the nation and the Gulf Coast region, from smaller scale businesses to Fortune 500 companies; it stimulates sustainable economic growth in the energy sector by providing jobs, removing market barriers, and promoting innovation within the sector; and

WHEREAS, GSREIA has played a significant role in the advancement of renewable energy initiatives across Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama; and the association is most deserving of the highest recognition for its efforts to improve our nation's energy infrastructure.

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana hereby commends the activities of the Gulf State Renewable Energy Industries Association and further designates Monday, May 5, 2025, as Gulf State Renewable Energy Industries Association Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and extends sincerest wishes that the association continue to cultivate a prosperous future to create jobs and bolster innovation in the energy sector in Louisiana and across the country.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Jeff Cantin, Chairman of Gulf State Renewable Energy Industries Association.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE