

1 Louisiana; Steven also served as director for Contango Oil & Gas in Houston and Sabre
2 Industries among many other corporate ventures; and

3 WHEREAS, Steven thoroughly enjoyed giving speeches and even had the honor of
4 introducing former first lady Barbara Bush; he was a member of Shreveport's exclusive
5 Committee of 100, Friends of the Strand, the Shreveport Symphony, and the Mystick Krewe
6 of Louisianians; he also served as a trustee of the Ohio University Foundation, with which
7 he holds one of the longest tenures of trusteeship at sixteen years; and

8 WHEREAS, throughout his illustrious career, Steven has earned numerous awards,
9 including being twice named Entrepreneur of the Year by USA Today, Ernst & Young,
10 NASDAQ, CNN, Inc., and Merrill Lynch for his work at two different companies; and

11 WHEREAS, Steven leaves to cherish his memory his wife and best friend, Pamela
12 Renee Wood Schoonover; her son, Brandon Wood, and his wife Sarah; her daughter, Kaci
13 Wood Sykora, and her husband Matthew; his children, Kristen Schoonover Erler, and her
14 husband Jeff; Michelle Schoonover Payne, and her husband Brian; Brett Schoonover, and
15 his wife Anne Marie; and David Schoonover, and his wife Courtney; grandchildren; siblings;
16 and a host of other relatives; and

17 WHEREAS, Steven L. Schoonover was a remarkable businessman whose
18 accomplishments reflect admirably on both himself and the state of Louisiana; he will be
19 deeply missed.

20 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
21 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express sincerest condolences to the family of Steven
22 Lewis Schoonover upon his death; does hereby recognize his outstanding accomplishments
23 as a businessman; and does hereby extend hopes and wishes that his family and friends find
24 comfort during this time of loss.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
26 family of Steven L. Schoonover.

DIGEST

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Expresses condolences on the death of Steven L. Schoonover.