

2020 Second Extraordinary Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 33

BY SENATOR JACKSON

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Pastor Bobby J. Douglas on being inducted into the Louisiana High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Pastor Bobby Joe Douglas on being inducted into the Louisiana High School  
3 Athletic Association Hall of Fame.

4 WHEREAS, Pastor Bobby Joe Douglas was inducted into the Louisiana High School  
5 Athletic Association (LHSAA) Hall of Fame on October 6, 2020; and

6 WHEREAS, Bobby Joe Douglas graduated from Marion High School in Marion,  
7 Louisiana, in 1980, where he became one of the most prolific basketball players in LHSAA  
8 history; and

9 WHEREAS, he averaged fifty-four points a game as a senior, six years before high  
10 school basketball adopted the three point line; and

11 WHEREAS, Pastor Douglas set five national records that still stand in the National  
12 Federation of High Schools record books; and

13 WHEREAS, he scored two thousand fifty-two points during his senior season and  
14 scored an impressive ninety-three points in a single game; and

15 WHEREAS, Pastor Douglas finished his prep career with four thousand seventy  
16 points, earned All-State honors three times, and was awarded All-State honors twice in his  
17 prep baseball career; and

18 WHEREAS, upon graduation from Marion High School, he enrolled at Northeast

1 Louisiana University in Monroe; and

2 WHEREAS, answering a higher calling, Pastor Douglas became a minister while also  
3 serving as an assistant coach at Sterlington High School in Sterlington, Louisiana, for ten  
4 years before ministering full-time; and

5 WHEREAS, in addition to his many achievements on the basketball court, Pastor  
6 Bobby Joe Douglas is a deeply beloved member of his community who has earned the  
7 respect and admiration of the countless citizens whose lives he has touched; and

8 WHEREAS, Pastor Bobby Joe Douglas, one of Louisiana's finest sons, merits a  
9 special measure of commendation for his singular achievements as a basketball player for  
10 Marion High School, a newly inducted member of the Louisiana High School Athletic  
11 Association Hall of Fame, and as an ambassador for the state of Louisiana.

12 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana  
13 does hereby commend and congratulate Pastor Bobby Joe Douglas on his induction into the  
14 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame and does hereby extend to him  
15 best wishes for continued success and happiness in all of his future endeavors.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
17 Pastor Bobby Joe Douglas.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Nancy Vicknair.

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DIGEST

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