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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 289

BY REPRESENTATIVE MANDIE LANDRY

## A RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. Nathaniel Dowl, III, on the occasion of his second pastoral anniversary.

WHEREAS, Dr. Nathaniel Dowl, III, received his education at Delgado Community College and the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary in New Orleans; he also graduated from A.P. Clay Bible College in Kenner, Louisiana, where he served as the student body vice president; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dowl accepted the call to ministry and was baptized by the late-Reverend Lester Allen Shaw at Payne Memorial African Methodist Episcopal Church in New Orleans; he was ordained at Greater St. James Baptist Church in New Orleans under the auspices of the Purelight Missionary Baptist and Educational Association; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dowl currently serves as the senior pastor of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in New Orleans; he also serves or has served as president emeritus of the Universal Missionary Baptist Association, vice president of the Greater Louisiana Baptist State Convention, corresponding secretary of the Louisiana General Missionary Baptist Convention, general secretary of the United Brotherhood Missionary Educational Baptist Association, and general secretary of the New Saint John Missionary Baptist Association; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Nathaniel Dowl, III, is most deserving of the highest recognition for his dedication to serving the spiritual needs of his faith community.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Dr. Nathaniel Dowl, III, on the occasion of his second pastoral anniversary and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that he continue to prosper in all of his endeavors.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES