SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82

BY SENATORS WHITE, DONAHUE, ERDEY AND NEVERS AND REPRESENTATIVES BROADWATER, EDWARDS, PUGH AND SIMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Southeastern Louisiana University womens soccer team, the Lady Lions,

for earning a National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Tournament bid.

WHEREAS, the Lady Lions earned the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Tournament bid by eliminating top seed Stephen F. Austin in the finals of the Southland Conference Tournament; and

WHEREAS, Southeastern made its second NCAA appearance; and

WHEREAS, they fell short of the victory, but remained dedicated and humbled by the honor of being named to the NCAA Tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Lions represented the university well at the Southland Conference Tournament where they placed a state high of four players on the All-Louisiana Soccer Team; and

WHEREAS, the LadyLions have outstanding leadership in Assistant Coach Anthony Neeson and Head Coach Blake Hornbuckle, who led them to their third league tournament title; and

WHEREAS, Coach Hornbuckle was named the State Coach of the Year for the sixth time and has proven himself to be a coach that prepares the Lady Lions to achieve victory; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Lions are a source of pride for Southeastern Louisiana University and the Hammond Community.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Southeastern Louisiana University womens soccer team, the Lady Lions, for earning a National Collegiate Athletic Association Tournament bid. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the University President, Dr. John Crain.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES