

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 173

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Designates Tuesday, May 26, 2015, as CODOFIL Day at the state capitol

2 To designate May 26, 2015, as CODOFIL Day at the state capitol.

7 WHEREAS, the Louisiana brand is greatly enhanced by its Louisiana French and
8 Creole culture, heritage, and languages; and

12 WHEREAS, CODOFIL has had a long-standing relationship with France, and today,
13 present in this chamber are industry representatives from some of the twenty-six French
14 companies operating in Louisiana; and

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1 WHEREAS, France has been instrumental in collaborating with Louisiana's
2 preeminent French Immersion program, in which nearly five thousand students are
3 linguistically trained for the Louisiana jobs of the 21st century; and

4 WHEREAS, CODOFIL, as Louisiana's state agency for francophone affairs,
5 continues to nurture and grow international partnerships similar to that with France, and
6 these partnerships result in economic growth for Louisiana well beyond the cultural
7 economy.

8 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
9 designate May 26, 2015, as CODOFIL Day at the state capitol and, together with the
10 fortunate citizens of this state, does hereby recognize the manifold contributions CODOFIL
11 makes to the cultural and economic growth of the great state of Louisiana.

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that suitable copies of this Resolution be transmitted
13 to Charles Larroque, executive director of CODOFIL; Lieutenant Governor Jay Dardenne;
14 and William Arceneaux, president of CODOFIL.

DIGEST

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