

2015 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 221

BY REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, HODGES, JACKSON, NORTON, SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STOKES AND SENATORS BROOME AND DORSEY-COLOMB

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Miss Universe Organization for bringing the Miss USA Pageant back to Louisiana in July of 2015

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To commend the Miss Universe Organization for bringing the Miss USA Pageant back to

3 the state of Louisiana in July of 2015.

4 WHEREAS, in July of 2014, the city of Baton Rouge hosted the 2014 Miss USA

5 Pageant; the pageant delivered an unprecedented amount of national and international

6 exposure for the state of Louisiana and the city of Baton Rouge; and

7 WHEREAS, the 2014 Miss USA Pageant brought Baton Rouge unparalleled

8 exposure and shared the best of Louisiana's live music, unique food, and proud people; and

9 WHEREAS, recently, Baton Rouge was named one of the top ten "Happiest Cities

10 in America" by the National Bureau of Economic Research; and

11 WHEREAS, the Miss USA Pageant will return to Baton Rouge this July to crown

12 Miss USA 2015; and

13 WHEREAS, the 2015 Miss USA Pageant will feature contestants from all fifty states

14 and the District of Columbia; and

15 WHEREAS, upon the return of the 2015 Miss USA Pageant to Louisiana, it is

16 appropriate to commend the Miss Universe Organization for bringing Baton Rouge

17 incomparable media exposure while sharing the best of Louisiana's culture, music, food, and

18 people.

1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
2 commend the Miss Universe Organization for bringing the Miss USA Pageant back to the
3 state of Louisiana in July of 2015.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
5 to the Miss Universe Organization.

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