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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

BY REPRESENTATIVES GAROFALO AND LOPINTO

CONDOLENCES: Expresses condolences upon the death of Helena Hosch Heintz of Metairie

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2	To express condolences upon the death of Helena Hosch Heintz of Metairie.
3	WHEREAS, the members of the Louisiana House of Representatives and Senate
4	were saddened to learn of the passing of Helena Hosch Heintz, at the age of seventy-seven;
5	and
6	WHEREAS, for sixty years, Mrs. Helena Hosch Heintz was the owner and artistic
7	director of the Helena Hosch School of Dance in Metairie and was renowned as a dance
8	educator; she was an active member of the Louisiana Association of Dance Masters
9	(LADM) and Dance Masters of America for forty-two years; and
10	WHEREAS, Helena Hosch Heintz lived her lifelong dream of dance by inspiring
11	countless students: she was president of LADM, served on the executive board for thirty-five
12	years, and was an honorary member of LADM Chapter 6; she also served on the board of
13	directors for Dance Masters of America for six years; and
14	WHEREAS, Mrs. Helena Hosch Heintz was a woman of grace, poise, and dignity
15	who was recognized and honored by the Circle of Hope Foundation Dancers with Cancer
16	in the summer of 2015; and
17	WHEREAS, she was the beloved wife of fifty-seven years to her husband, Joseph
18	Heintz; devoted mother of Staci Heintz Nicoll and Shannon Heintz Fortenberry; and loving
19	grandmother to her precious grandchildren, Lexis Nicoll, Payten Nicoll, and Haven
20	Fortenberry; and

1 WHEREAS, she was known as "Mere" to her grandchildren, which was passed on 2 to her students in more recent years as a term of affection that they exhibited to her; and 3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Helena Hosch Heintz exhibited strong faith throughout the 4 courageous health battle she fought at journey's end, and her legacy of love will endure for 5 the lifetimes of all who were graced by her beauty and charm. 6 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby 7 express heartfelt sympathy to the family, students, and dance community of Helena Hosch 8 Heintz; does hereby extend sincerest condolences in this time of loss; and does hereby offer 9 enduring prayers for peace and comfort. 10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted 11 to the family of Helena Hosch Heintz.

DIGEST

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Garofalo

Expresses the condolences of the legislature upon the death of Helena Hosch Heintz.