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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 39

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SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Recognizes Monday, April 4, 2016, as National Federation of Independent Business/Louisiana Small Business Day at the capitol

A RESOLUTION

2	To recognize Monday, April 4, 2016, as National Federation of Independent
3	Business/Louisiana Small Business Day at the Louisiana state capitol.
4	WHEREAS, both governmental and private entities alike herald small businesses as
5	the backbone of the American economy; and
6	WHEREAS, founded in 1943 and headquartered in Nashville, Tennessee, the
7	National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) is a small business advocacy
8	association that represents small and independent businesses before government
9	policymakers in all fifty states and provides services to its member organizations; and
10	WHEREAS, 350,000 small and independent business owners enjoy the camaraderie
11	and benefits of the NFIB through use of the federation's many products and services; and
12	WHEREAS, the NFIB counts over 4,000 small business owners as members in the
13	state of Louisiana, members that represent every sector of the economy and employ over
14	175,000 people; and
15	WHEREAS, the Young Entrepreneur Foundation, the Research Foundation, and the
16	Small Business Legal Center are auxiliaries of the NFIB that serve young men and women
17	in their business startups, conduct polls that provide strategic information to NFIB members,
18	and offer legal services; and
19	WHEREAS, NFIB/Small Business Day at the capitol is Monday, April 4, 2016, and
20	it is appropriate to recognize the contributions of small businesses in Louisiana to the
21	thriving economy of the state.

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1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the

- 2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Monday, April 4, 2016, as National
- 3 Federation of Independent Business/Louisiana Small Business Day at the Louisiana state
- 4 capitol and does hereby commend small business owners and operators throughout the state.

## **DIGEST**

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