

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 84

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the members of the United States Army War College team participating in the Eisenhower Series College Program and welcomes them to Louisiana in April of 2016

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To commend the members of the United States Army War College team participating in the
3 Eisenhower Series College Program and to welcome them to Louisiana in April of
4 2016.

5 WHEREAS, upon the memorable and historic occasion of their visit to the state of
6 Louisiana, it is appropriate to commend and honor those from the United States Army War
7 College participating in the Eisenhower Series College Program; and

8 WHEREAS, the United States Army War College, located in Carlisle Barracks,
9 Pennsylvania, represents the highest level of education offered by the military services and
10 is designed to equip carefully selected senior officers and civilians with the competencies
11 required of strategic leaders of the United States Armed Forces; and

12 WHEREAS, these select students, including senior officers from all branches of the
13 armed forces, senior civilian representatives from a variety of United States government
14 agencies, and senior military officers from many countries, are chosen to participate in this
15 graduate-level course of study; and

16 WHEREAS, United States Army War College students examine national security
17 issues and strategy development, regional affairs, current and future challenges for national
18 defense, and the responsibilities of senior-level command, and students who successfully
19 complete all the requirements established by the Army War College for granting a degree
20 are awarded the Master of Strategic Studies degree; and

1 WHEREAS, annually, several students at the United States Army War College
2 participate in the Eisenhower Series College Program and travel outside Carlisle Barracks
3 to engage in discussions with other students, academics, and the public about national
4 security issues and the employment of military assets; and

5 WHEREAS, in April of 2016, Eisenhower Series College Program participants are
6 sharing their unique knowledge with the citizens of Louisiana and visiting various education
7 institutions, including Southeastern Louisiana University and the Louisiana State University
8 Paul M. Hebert Law Center; and

9 WHEREAS, topics to be discussed include climate change and its impact on national
10 security, use of force under international law, and defense to support civil authorities; and

11 WHEREAS, the actions and commitment of the individuals participating in the
12 Eisenhower Series College Program uphold the highest traditions of the United States Armed
13 Forces, and they bring tremendous pride to their families, their fellow citizens, and the
14 United States of America; and

15 WHEREAS, these individuals merit a special measure of commendation as they are
16 welcomed with the utmost admiration and respect to the state of Louisiana.

17 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
18 commend the members of the United States Army War College team who are participating
19 in the Eisenhower Series College Program for their outstanding accomplishments, namely
20 Lieutenant Colonel Tom Asbery, Colonel Nicholas F. Lancaster, and Lieutenant Colonel
21 Antonio M. Paz; does hereby recognize and record for posterity their vital contributions and
22 tireless dedication to military excellence; does hereby express enduring appreciation for the
23 tremendous honor they bring to the citizens of Louisiana with their visit in April of 2016;
24 does hereby sincerely welcome them to Louisiana; and does hereby extend to them best
25 wishes for continued success in all of their future endeavors.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that suitable copies of this Resolution be transmitted
27 to Lieutenant Colonel Tom Asbery, Colonel Nicholas F. Lancaster, and Lieutenant Colonel
28 Antonio M. Paz.

DIGEST

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