

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend D. Neil Granger, Ph.D., for his many accomplishments and contributions to the Louisiana State University (LSU) Health Sciences Center in Shreveport.

WHEREAS, Dr. Granger is a Boyd Professor and is designated as a highly cited investigator for scientific information; internationally, he is ranked in the top one percent of cited scientists; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Granger has over 600 peer reviewed publications in many international journals; and

WHEREAS, since 1987, he has served as a professor and chairman of the Department of Molecular and Cellular Physiology at the LSU Health Sciences Center in Shreveport; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his highly dedicated service to the LSU Health Sciences Center in Shreveport, he was awarded more than twenty-five million dollars in federal research money; and

WHEREAS, he has served as president of the Microcirculatory Society and the American Physiological Society; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Granger has demonstrated a lifelong commitment to his ambitious work; he has received international awards from the British Microcirculation Society, the Japanese Microcirculation Society, and the World Congress for Microcirculation; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Granger has been recognized internationally for his extensive knowledge and findings in the field of microvascular dysfunction associated with acute and chronic inflammation; and

WHEREAS, during his successful career at the LSU Health Sciences Center in Shreveport, Dr. Granger has been instrumental in the growth and excellence of its academic mission, and his international recognitions have brought distinction to the LSU Health Sciences Center at Shreveport.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend D. Neil Granger, Ph.D., for his many accomplishments and contributions to the LSU Health Sciences Center in Shreveport; does hereby recognize and record for posterity his exemplary leadership; and does hereby extend to him best wishes for continued success throughout his career.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to D. Neil Granger, Ph.D.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE