

2017 Regular Session

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 114

BY SENATOR LONG

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Juan D'Vaughn Pierre on being named to the 2017 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Juan D'Vaughn Pierre on being named to the 2017 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame in Natchitoches, Louisiana, each year collaborates with the Louisiana Sports Writers Association in selecting a limited number of sports figures who embody the character, skill, and talents worthy of being named to the hall of fame; and

WHEREAS, the 2017 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class includes Juan D'Vaughn Pierre; and

WHEREAS, Juan Pierre began his sporting career at Alexandria High School, where he was a standout in basketball and baseball, and upon graduating continued to excel as a baseball player for Galveston College, where he was the 1998 Sun Belt Conference Player of the Year, and the University of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, he began his professional career with the Portland Rockies of the Northwest League then during his lengthy and successful career went on to play for the Colorado Rockies, Florida Marlins, Chicago Cubs, Los Angeles Dodgers, Chicago White Sox, Philadelphia Phillies, and Miami Marlins; and

WHEREAS, Juan Pierre compiled an outstanding .295 batting average with three

