

1 WHEREAS, when doctors told Lazette her days were numbered, she smiled and
2 accepted the news with joy; her children marveled at her strength and celebrated with her,
3 for she kept her faith, knowing that eternal life begins at death; and

4 WHEREAS, all who knew and loved her may take solace in Matthew 25:21, which
5 proclaims "His Lord said unto him, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant! Thou has
6 been faithful over a few things; I will make thee ruler over many things. Enter thou, into the
7 joy of the Lord!"; and

8 WHEREAS, Ms. Brumfield is survived by her mother, Earline Martin Thomas; her
9 children and their spouses, Sheila and Clark Lowery, Malinda and Danny White, Lamanda
10 and Scott Taylor, Brian and Tammy Brumfield, and Brent and Benji Brumfield; her sisters
11 and brothers-in-law, Mary Jane and Joseph Stogner and Sharon and John Hartzog; her
12 brother, Raymond "Archie" Thomas; her sisters-in-law, Linda Graves Thomas, Elsie
13 Brumfield Crain, Lynn Blossman, Evelyn Young Brumfield Branch, Yvonne Wheat
14 Brumfield, Ann Smith Brumfield, and Evelyn Crain Brumfield; her brothers-in-law, Paul
15 "Buddy" Brumfield and William Brumfield; fifteen grandchildren; six great-grandchildren;
16 and numerous nieces, nephews, friends, and other family; and

17 WHEREAS, although the death of Lazette Thomas Brumfield has left a tremendous
18 void in her family and community, her legacy shall forever live in the hearts and minds of
19 all the people whose lives she touched.

20 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
21 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express its sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the
22 death of Lazette Thomas Brumfield; does hereby recognize and record for posterity the
23 contributions and accomplishments of Lazette Brumfield, an exemplary servant of the Lord,
24 to the city of Franklinton and to our state and nation; and does hereby pay tribute to Lazette
25 Brumfield for the generous way in which she dedicated her energy to spreading the Light
26 of the Lord.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
28 to the family of Lazette Thomas Brumfield.

DIGEST

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Barras

Expresses condolences upon the death of Lazette Thomas Brumfield, mother of State Representative Malinda White.