

2019 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 136

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

CONDOLENCES: Expresses condolences on the death of Emma Louise Patterson Johnson

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Emma Louise
3 Patterson Johnson.

4 WHEREAS, it was with deep regret and profound sorrow that the members of the
5 House of Representatives learned of the death of Emma Louise Patterson Johnson, on
6 May 4, 2019, at the age of eighty-one; and

7 WHEREAS, Emma Louise Patterson Johnson was born on July 22, 1937, to Whit
8 Patterson and Beatrice Patsy Lyles; and

9 WHEREAS, Emma Louise Johnson devoted her life to her family and to her church,
10 First Baptist Church in Natchitoches; Ms. Johnson enjoyed fishing, gardening, baking,
11 watching game shows, and playing bingo; and

12 WHEREAS, family was a high priority and she spent many days caring for her
13 grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and

14 WHEREAS, left to cherish her memory are her daughter, Patsy Ward Hoover, and
15 her husband Edward; sons, Walter, and his wife Carol, Perry Joe, and his wife Shelia, Larry,
16 and his wife Diane, Paul, and his wife Catherine, Ronnie, and his wife Deborah, and Donnie,
17 and his wife Zendra; sisters, Eartis and Orelia, and her husband Leon; twenty grandchildren,
18 thirty-three great-grandchildren, three great-great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces,
19 nephews, other relatives, and dear friends; and

1 WHEREAS, Ms. Johnson was a devoted mother, grandmother, great-grandmother,
2 great-great-grandmother, and woman of faith; her passing leaves a void in the lives of her
3 family, friends, and community; and

4 WHEREAS, all those who know and loved her can take solace in the knowledge that
5 Ms. Johnson is absent from the body and present with the Lord.

6 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
7 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express condolences upon the death of Emma Louise
8 Patterson Johnson, does hereby express heartfelt sympathies to her family and friends, and
9 does hereby extend thoughts and wishes for peace in this time of sorrow and hopes for fond
10 and lasting memories.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
12 family of Emma Louise Patterson Johnson.

DIGEST

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