

2019 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 163

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

CONDOLENCES. Expresses condolences upon the death of military veteran, Dylan Achord.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana to the  
3 family of United States Marine Corps Lance Corporal Dylan Achord upon his death  
4 while serving his country as a member of its armed forces.

5 WHEREAS, Dylan Achord was the son of Jennifer Laird Rayborn and Sydney  
6 Achord; and

7 WHEREAS, LCpl. Achord proudly served his country in the United States Marine  
8 Corps 2D Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment; and

9 WHEREAS, 2D Battalion, 6th Marines is an infantry battalion in the United States  
10 Marine Corps based out of Camp Lejeune, North Carolina and is a ground combat element  
11 composed of Infantry and support personnel; and

12 WHEREAS, being a member of 2D Battalion, 6th Marine, LCpl. Achord was part  
13 of a tactical unit that was used to accomplish the mission of locating, closing with, and  
14 destroying the enemy by fire and close combat; and

15 WHEREAS, the Marines have fourteen leadership traits which are Justice, Judgment,  
16 Dependability, Initiative, Decisiveness, Tact, Integrity, Endurance, Bearing, Unselfishness,  
17 Courage, Knowledge, Loyalty and Enthusiasm; and

18 WHEREAS, during his service LCpl. Achord exemplified the fourteen marine

1 leadership traits and thrived under the spartan conditions of the Marine Corps learning the  
2 skills he would need to be an outstanding Marine and a leader that his fellow Marines would  
3 follow and admire; and

4 WHEREAS, LCpl. Achord received a myriad of awards for his service at a very  
5 young age including the National Defense Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service  
6 Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, and Sea Service Deployment Ribbon  
7 and Medals; and

8 WHEREAS, LCpl. Achord passed away at his home, while on leave, on Monday,  
9 September 10, 2018.

10 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana  
11 does hereby extend its deepest and most profound condolences to the family of United States  
12 Marine Corps Lance Corporal Dylan Achord for their immeasurable loss and wish to  
13 recognize him for his service and for the great sacrifices he made on behalf of his country.

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the  
15 family of United States Marine Corps Lance Corporal Dylan Achord.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by James Benton.

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DIGEST

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