



1           WHEREAS, Ms. Vincent was widely respected and admired during her highly  
2 productive career at LTI and was recognized as the Outstanding Professional in the area of  
3 librarianship at Scenic High School in 1996; and

4           WHEREAS, Ms. Vincent retired from Scenic High School in March of 2000, and in  
5 the fall of 2002, she was appointed to the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board to fill an  
6 unexpired term; she represented District No. 3 with distinction until the next elected member  
7 took office; and

8           WHEREAS, Ms. Vincent ultimately returned to school service at Brighter Horizon  
9 School of Baton Rouge, sharing her vast knowledge and expertise as a social studies teacher  
10 and librarian for ten years; and

11           WHEREAS, Ms. Vincent is an alumna of the Capitol High School Class of 1957,  
12 graduated from Southern University with a bachelor of science degree, and has been a very  
13 active member of the community, serving with organizations such as the Louisiana Coalition  
14 of African American Breast Cancer Survivors, the American Cancer Society's People-to-  
15 People Involvement Committee, and the Nonpareil Chapter of Top Ladies of Distinction,  
16 Inc.; and

17           WHEREAS, in their farewell addresses to the House, several state representatives  
18 have publicly thanked Ms. Vincent from the well for her excellence as a session sergeant-at-  
19 arms and for her kindness to them personally, demonstrating the positive and lasting impact  
20 she has had on this institution and its members during the multiple legislative terms she has  
21 so capably and steadfastly served; and

22           WHEREAS, Beverly A. Vincent merits a special measure of commendation and  
23 gratitude for her many significant accomplishments and especially for her dedicated service  
24 to the Louisiana House of Representatives.

25           THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the  
26 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and express sincere and heartfelt  
27 appreciation to Beverly A. Vincent of Baton Rouge for eighteen years of highly effective  
28 service as a session sergeant-at-arms; does hereby recognize and record for posterity the role  
29 she has played in the vital process of democracy in action; and does hereby extend to her

1 enduring thanks for her professionalism and friendship and best wishes for continued  
2 happiness and success in the future.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
4 Beverly A. Vincent.

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