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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 138

BY REPRESENTATIVES CREWS, HORTON, JENKINS, MCCORMICK, MCMAHEN, AND PRESSLY

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Bossier Parish Community College nursing program

A RESOLUTION

2	To commend the Bossier Parish Community College nursing program.
3	WHEREAS, the Bossier Parish Community College (BPCC) nursing program is
4	committed to student-centered learning through academic instruction, clinical simulation,
5	clinical experiences, and community service to promote excellence in nursing; and
6	WHEREAS, BPCC recognizes the nursing faculty and students for their extensive
7	volunteerism to support COVID testing and vaccinations and boasts a 100% passage rate for
8	first-time takers of the National Council Licensure Examination - Registered Nurse
9	(NCLEX-RN) for its graduates; and
10	WHEREAS, BPCC is launching a new Licensed Practical Nursing program this year
11	to meet regional workforce needs; and
12	WHEREAS, nursing is a high demand career with good employment opportunities
13	and job stability; many hospitals may offer new graduates incentives, such as sign-on
14	bonuses, shift differentials, or tuition reimbursement; and
15	WHEREAS, healthcare is one of the fastest growing industries in the United States
16	and the demand for skilled professional nurses has never been greater; nurses play a vital
17	role in providing direct patient care, and BPCC's nursing program is worthy of
18	commendation for its contributions to this critical sector of the economy.
19	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
20	Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Bossier Parish Community College
21	nursing program on preparing students for patient-centered care; does hereby recognize the

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1 program for superiority in NCLEX-RN passage; and extends sincere hopes for the continued

- 2 academic excellence for the college's nursing program.
- 3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
- 4 dean of Science, Nursing, and Allied Health of BPCC.

DIGEST

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