

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 218

BY SENATOR LAMBERT

A RESOLUTION

To commend Jeffery Ditman of Lutchter High School on being Teacher of the Year for a school located in Senate District 18 for exemplary and dedicated service on "Teacher of the Year Day" in the Louisiana Senate.

WHEREAS, excellence in teaching is the result of commitment, dedication, inspiration, patience, creativity, hard work, and the highest order of professional integrity; and

WHEREAS, research clearly demonstrates that teachers are paramount to student achievement and it has been estimated that a teacher has two to three times the impact of any other school factor; and

WHEREAS, Teacher of the Year programs were created as a means to publicly honor and recognize the critical role of instructional excellence in ensuring student success in school and in life; and

WHEREAS, the outstanding educator named Teacher of the Year for a school located in Senate District 18 is Jeffrey Ditman of Lutchter High School; and

WHEREAS, this exemplary educator is held in the highest regard by his students, his colleagues, and his community.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby sincerely commend Jeffrey Ditman of Lutchter High School on being named Teacher of the Year from a school in Senate District 18 for exemplary and dedicated service on "Teacher of the Year Day" in the Louisiana Senate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Jeffrey Ditman of Lutchter High School.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE