

2022 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 64

BY SENATOR BERNARD

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Britni Sneed Newman on being inducted into the 2022 class of the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Britni Sneed Newman on being inducted into the 2022 class of the Louisiana  
3 Sports Hall of Fame.

4 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame in Natchitoches, Louisiana, each year  
5 collaborates with the Louisiana Sports Writers Association in selecting a limited number of  
6 sports figures who embody the character, skill, and talent worthy of being named to the Hall  
7 of Fame; and

8 WHEREAS, the 2022 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Induction Class includes Britni  
9 Sneed Newman; and

10 WHEREAS, Britni Sneed Newman is a two-time All-American and four-time  
11 first-team All-Southeastern Conference (SEC) pitcher at Louisiana State University (LSU)  
12 during a spectacular college career from 1999 to 2002; and

13 WHEREAS, Britni was the first LSU softball player to be chosen for the LSU  
14 Athletic Hall of Fame in 2009; and

15 WHEREAS, in 2002, Britni was named the National Collegiate Athletic Association  
16 (NCAA) Woman-of-the-Year for the state of Louisiana; and

17 WHEREAS, twice a finalist for USA Softball Player-of-the-Year, she was the SEC  
18 Player-of-the-Year in 2001, SEC Pitcher-of-the-Year in 2002, and SEC Tournament Most

1 Valuable Player (MVP) in 2001 and 2002; and

2 WHEREAS, Britni produced a one-hundred twenty-win, twenty-five-loss, zero and  
3 eighty-nine hundredths earned run average (ERA) career record as the LSU softball team  
4 posted a two hundred thirty-win, forty-five-loss record; and

5 WHEREAS, the Tigers won at least fifty-six games in all four seasons she played,  
6 with fifty-nine victories in 2000 and 2001; and

7 WHEREAS, Britni had one thousand three hundred seventy career strikeouts in nine  
8 hundred seventy-six and one tenths innings while allowing four hundred eighty-nine hits and  
9 one hundred eighty-four walks; and

10 WHEREAS, she set a SEC single-season record with four hundred ten strikeouts in  
11 2001, and broke her own record with four hundred seventy-eight strikeouts the following  
12 year; and

13 WHEREAS, her one hundred twenty wins, zero and eighty-nine hundredths ERA,  
14 fifty-five shutouts, zero and forty-seven hundredths opponents batting average, and nine and  
15 eight tenths strikeouts per seven innings, were all SEC records when she finished her career;  
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Britni tossed ten career no-hitters, six of them as a senior in 2002, and  
18 combined with her teammates for three more no-hitters including a perfect game against  
19 Tennessee in 2001; and

20 WHEREAS, as a junior in 2001, Britni helped the Tigers advance to their first-ever  
21 Women's College World Series appearance and advanced to a third place finish.

22 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana  
23 does hereby commend Britni Sneed Newman on being inducted into the 2022 class of the  
24 Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
26 Britni Sneed Newman.

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

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