

2022 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 137

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

COMMENDATIONS. Commends Ginger Myers on receiving honorary doctorate from UL-Lafayette and recognizes her for her work with the LHC Group.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Ginger Myers on receiving an honorary doctorate from the University of
3 Louisiana-Lafayette and to recognize her for her work with the LHC Group.

4 WHEREAS, Ginger Myers was awarded an honorary doctorate of nursing practice
5 during the University of Louisiana-Lafayette's Spring 2022 commencement ceremonies; and

6 WHEREAS, Ginger Myers is a nurse, a community leader, a businesswoman, and
7 a philanthropist; and

8 WHEREAS, in 1994, Myers cofounded the Lafayette-based LHC Group as a single
9 freestanding home health agency in rural St. Landry Parish; and

10 WHEREAS, the LHC Group was established in recognition of the need for greater
11 access to health care among aging, rural residents; and

12 WHEREAS, the LHC Group has grown and provides high quality care to patients
13 through home health, hospice, home- and community-based services, and facility-based care;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, Ginger Myers was the first nurse on staff with the LHC Group and she
16 has worked in a range of nursing and administrative roles in St. Landry Parish for more than
17 two decades; and

18 WHEREAS, Myers was active in coordinating one of Louisiana's first rural health

1 clinics and in opening the first ophthalmologic surgery center in Acadiana; and

2 WHEREAS, in early 2022, the University of Louisiana-Lafayette renamed the
3 College of Nursing and Health Sciences Department as the LHC Group-Myers School of
4 Nursing.

5 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
6 does hereby commend Ginger Myers on receiving an honorary doctorate from the University
7 of Louisiana-Lafayette and recognizes her for her work with the LHC Group

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to
9 Ginger Myers.

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

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DIGEST
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