



1           WHEREAS, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, fentanyl  
2 is a major contributor to fatal and nonfatal overdoses in the United States and most cases of  
3 fentanyl-related overdoses are linked to illicitly manufactured fentanyl, which is distributed  
4 through illegal drug markets; and

5           WHEREAS, the Republic of Mexico and the People's Republic of China should take  
6 immediate action to locate and eradicate the receipt, storage, production, and dissemination  
7 of this dangerous drug; and

8           WHEREAS, it is necessary that the United States Congress takes immediate action  
9 to stop the free flow of fentanyl into the United States.

10          THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby  
11 memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to halt the  
12 influx of fentanyl from Mexico and China into the United States.

13          BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the  
14 presiding officers of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress of the  
15 United States of America and to each member of the Louisiana congressional delegation.

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#### DIGEST

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