SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 35

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

## A RESOLUTION

To welcome the President of the National Assembly of Cote d'Ivoire, Mr. Adama Bictogo, and his delegation to Louisiana.

WHEREAS, the first National Assembly of Cote d'Ivoire was constituted in 1960 with 70 elected members in accordance with their constitution that created the First Republic; and

WHEREAS, from 1960 to 2016, the National Assembly was the Ivory Coast's unicameral legislative body; and

WHEREAS, the National Assembly has been the lower house of the Parliament of the Ivory Coast since November of 2016 and today is comprised of 255 elected officials; and

WHEREAS, on June 7, 2022, His Excellency Adama Bictogo was elected President of the National Assembly with a record of 97% of the votes.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby welcome the President of the National Assembly of Cote d'Ivoire, Mr. Adama Bictogo, and his delegation to Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Mr. Adama Bictogo.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE