2023 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 180

BY SENATOR TALBOT

A RESOLUTION

To proclaim June 5, 2023, as Louisiana Unclaimed Property Day in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the program.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Unclaimed Property Program was created pursuant to Act 146 of the 1972 Regular Session of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, unclaimed property consists of abandoned financial assets, checking and savings accounts, unpaid wages, securities, life insurance payouts, uncashed checks, and the proceeds of safe deposit boxes that are without activity for a certain period of time; and

WHEREAS, money was first received into the unclaimed property program in 1973; and

WHEREAS, over the past fifty years, the Unclaimed Property Division in the State Treasurer's office property program has issued 1.38 million unclaimed property checks, totaling \$727 million, to the rightful owners.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana hereby proclaims June 5, 2023, as Louisiana Unclaimed Property Day in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the program.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE