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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 42

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COMMENDATIONS: Commends McIlhenny Company in Iberia Parish for more than one
hundred fifty years of service as a family-owned Louisiana business

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend McIlhenny Company in Iberia Parish for one hundred fifty-six years of service
3 as a Louisiana family-owned business.

4 WHEREAS, McIlhenny Company was founded in 1868 on Avery Island in Iberia
5 Parish by American businessman and manufacturer Edmund McIlhenny, and the company
6 has remained in the McIlhenny family throughout its one hundred fifty-six years of
7 operations; and

8 WHEREAS, McIlhenny Company is internationally renowned for its Tabasco hot
9 sauce with products sold in over one hundred ninety-five countries and territories and
10 packaged in thirty-six languages and dialects; Tabasco has even appeared on the dinner
11 tables of the White House and Buckingham Palace; and

12 WHEREAS, since its inception, McIlhenny Company's Tabasco hot sauce has grown
13 into a genuine piece of Americana, going to war in the "Meals Ready to Eat" of United
14 States troops and flying into orbit aboard Skylab and the International Space Station; it has
15 also appeared in numerous television programs and movies including Charlie Chaplin's *The*
16 *Immigrant*, Chris Carter's *The X-Files*, and Quentin Tarantino's *Once Upon a Time in*
17 *Hollywood*; and

18 WHEREAS, McIlhenny Company is an inspiring example of the American dream
19 realized, and the McIlhenny family is most deserving of the highest recognition for their
20 incredible longevity and for sharing the flavor of south Louisiana with the world.

1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend McIlhenny Company in Iberia Parish for one
3 hundred fifty-six years of service as a family-owned Louisiana business and does hereby
4 extend sincerest wishes that both the McIlhenny family and the company continue to prosper
5 in all of their endeavors for many years to come.

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Commends McIlhenny Co. in Iberia Parish for more than 150 years of service as a family-owned La. business.