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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 125

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Dr. Aubra Gantt on becoming the first woman to serve as chancellor of Southern University at Shreveport

A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Dr. Aubra Gantt on becoming the first woman to serve as chancellor of 3 Southern University at Shreveport. 4 WHEREAS, Dr. Aubra Gantt is a native of Shreveport, Louisiana, and a product of 5 the Southern University System; she received a bachelor's degree in liberal studies from 6 Southern University at Baton Rouge and a master's degree in social work from Southern 7 University at New Orleans; she also earned a doctorate of education in higher education 8 administration from the University of North Texas in Denton, Texas; and 9 WHEREAS, Dr. Gantt began her professional career in education at Southern 10 University at Shreveport, and she credits this early experience with preparing her to take on 11 various leadership roles later; she went on to serve as the founding vice president for 12 academic outreach and student success at the Tarrant County College (TCC) Connect 13 Campus in Fort Worth, Texas; she also worked for thirteen years as a registrar at the TCC 14 Northwest Campus, and most recently, she served as the dean of enrollment management 15 at Scottsdale Community College in the Maricopa Community College District in Arizona; 16 and 17 WHEREAS, Dr. Gantt recently became the first woman to be selected to serve as the 18 chancellor of Southern University Shreveport; she is most deserving of the highest 19 recognition for her inspiring career and many achievements, especially on the occasion of 20 her historic appointment.

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1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the

- 2 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Dr. Aubra Gantt on becoming the first
- 3 woman to serve as chancellor of Southern University at Shreveport and does hereby extend
- 4 sincerest wishes that she continue to prosper in her endeavors as the new campus head.

DIGEST

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