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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 125

BY SENATOR CONNICK

TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT. Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and Development to address the problem relative to the Interstate 20 construction zone and the impact on local, state and national businesses located in Bossier City.

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to provide an
3	alternative rather than prohibiting large commercial vehicles on the portion of
4	Interstate 20 in Bossier City between Hamilton Road and Industrial Drive.
5	WHEREAS, Interstate 20 in Bossier City is a crucial artery for local, state, and
6	national traffic; and
7	WHEREAS, the current construction project on Interstate 20 has eliminated large
8	commercial traffic to crucial businesses between the Hamilton Road and Industrial Drive
9	exits; and
10	WHEREAS, many studies and discussion have gone into the matter, pleas for
11	assistance have gone unanswered, with the result being a prohibition on commercial
12	vehicles; and
13	WHEREAS, since the prohibition went into effect many traffic tickets to commercial
14	drivers have been issued; and
15	WHEREAS, Governor Jeff Landry was elected on a platform of, "No business as
16	usual" and a "can do" mindset; and
17	WHEREAS, this is a prime opportunity to offer a viable alternative for constituents
18	that provide local, state, and national services based on this small stretch of interstate.

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1	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Louisiana Senate does hereby urge and
2	request the Department of Transportation and Development to address the problems and
3	provide an alternative, other than prohibiting large commercial vehicles on the portion of
4	Interstate 20 in Bossier City between Hamilton Road and Industrial Drive, during the
5	construction currently taking place on Interstate 20.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Archana D. Cadge.

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Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and Development to review and provide an alternative other than prohibiting large commercial vehicles on the portion of Interstate 20 in Bossier City between Hamilton Road and Industrial Drive.