Regular Session, 2013

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 63

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To recognize Wednesday, April 24, 2013 as the inaugural Liquified Natural Gas Day at the
3	state capitol.
4	WHEREAS, the United States is the largest world producer of natural gas and
5	Louisiana is the second largest producing state in the country with three trillion cubic feet
6	produced per year; and
7	WHEREAS, global demand for liquified natural gas (LNG) is expected to grow
8	significantly over the next two decades; and
9	WHEREAS, Louisiana natural gas is poised to play a major role in meeting that
10	demand; and
11	WHEREAS, eight LNG production facilities have been proposed in the state of
12	Louisiana with a total announced investment of well over forty-one billion dollars; and
13	WHEREAS, the first federally permitted LNG export facility in the lower forty-eight
14	states is currently being built by Cheniere Energy in Cameron Parish; and
15	WHEREAS, LNG exports will create tens of thousands of construction and
16	operations jobs in Louisiana and will support fifty thousand jobs in the exploration and
17	production sectors for every two billion cubic feet per day of exports; and
18	WHEREAS, LNG exports will support increased production of hydrocarbons in
19	Louisiana's Haynesville Shale, and other onshore and offshore production areas; and
20	WHEREAS, a diverse coalition of LNG producers, energy and petroleum companies,
21	business groups, service companies, and others have expressed their support for LNG
22	exports; and
23	WHEREAS, LNG exports from Louisiana will provide a stable and secure energy
24	source for America's allies around the world, with Louisiana leading that global initiative.

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
Legislature of Louisiana does hereby declare April 24, 2013, as Liquified Natural Gas Day
at the state capitol and does hereby commend Anadarko, BG Group, Cheniere, Chesapeake,
Trunkline LNG, the Louisiana Oil and Gas Association, Louisiana Midcontinent Oil and Gas
Association, and others as they work to build support for Louisiana's growing LNG industry.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
to the presidents of Anadarko, BG Group, Cheniere, Chesapeake, Trunkline LNG, the
Louisiana Oil and Gas Association, Louisiana Midcontinent Oil and Gas Association.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES