



1 Charles Parish public school system, and assistant superintendent; and

2 WHEREAS, Dr. Lafon has received many honors for his leadership, including the  
3 Louisiana Reading Association's Principal of the Year in 1989; and

4 WHEREAS, in 1996 he was appointed by Governor Foster to serve on the Louisiana  
5 LEARN Commission; and

6 WHEREAS, in 2000 the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools recognized  
7 Dr. Lafon by presenting him with the Distinguished Educational Leadership Award; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Lafon was named Louisiana's 2002 Superintendent of the Year; and

9 WHEREAS, in 2003 he served as the president of the Louisiana Association of  
10 School Executives; and

11 WHEREAS, Dr. Lafon has been married to his loving wife Joan for thirty eight  
12 years; and

13 WHEREAS, his tireless service to the children and families of St. Charles Parish is  
14 appreciated and his impending retirement is well deserved.

15 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby  
16 commend Dr. Rodney Roy Lafon for his eighteen years of service as superintendent of the  
17 St. Charles Parish public school system and to recognize him upon the occasion of his  
18 retirement.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Dr.  
20 Rodney Roy Lafon.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Alan Miller.

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DIGEST

Gary Smith

SCR No. 74

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