

1 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau was selected to serve as general manager of the Lafayette
2 Chamber of Commerce in 1972, a position he held for fourteen years, during which time he
3 learned the challenges facing businesses at the local level; and

4 WHEREAS, during this same period, Dan Juneau also served as vice president of the
5 Louisiana Association of Chamber of Commerce Executives, chairman of the Louisiana
6 Business Task Force on Unemployment Compensation, and chairman of the Labor-
7 Management Council of LABI; and

8 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau left his position at the Lafayette Chamber of Commerce and
9 moved to Baton Rouge to become vice president of government relations for the Louisiana
10 Association of Business and Industry; and

11 WHEREAS, in 1989, after three years as vice president and chief lobbyist, Dan
12 Juneau was chosen to lead the organization as the second president of the Louisiana
13 Association of Business and Industry; and

14 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau was an active participant in many of the key legislative
15 reform initiatives of the past forty years, including passage of Right to Work, unemployment
16 and workers compensation reforms, education accountability, insurance availability and
17 affordability, river pilotage reform, civil justice reform, workforce development, and the
18 reduction or repeal of business taxes that placed Louisiana at a competitive disadvantage
19 with its neighbor states; and

20 WHEREAS, during the twenty-four years he has led the Louisiana business
21 community's premier organization, Dan Juneau also served as vice chairman of the Senate
22 Committee to Study Tax Exemptions, a member of the Public Affairs Committee of the U.S.
23 Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Louisiana Supreme Court Advisory Commission,
24 a member of the Louisiana Health Care Redesign Collaborative, and a member of the
25 Louisiana Task Force on Workforce Competitiveness; and

26 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau has continuously shown his passion for improved public
27 and alternative education by serving as a member of the Commission on Secondary School
28 Redesign, a member of the School Finance Review Committee, a member of the School
29 District Dialogue State Review Commission, a member of the Blue Ribbon Commission for
30 Educational Excellence, and a member of the board of directors of Teach for America; and

1 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau's strong support for education is particularly shown by his
2 service as chairman of the School Improvement Team and Northdale Magnet Academy in
3 Baton Rouge, one of Louisiana's first alternative high schools for at-risk youth; and

4 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau's peers in positions similar to his as president of a state
5 chamber of commerce and manufacturers association have honored him by choosing him to
6 serve on the board of directors of the National Association of Manufacturers, as chairman
7 of the Council of State Manufacturers Association, and twice as chairman of the Council of
8 State Chambers of Commerce; and

9 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau has positioned LABI as a strong force for an improved
10 business climate in Louisiana, and he believes that strong, positive, ethical participation in
11 legislative and judicial elections plus active involvement in the legislative process is a must
12 for businesses to survive and flourish in Louisiana; and

13 WHEREAS, Dan Juneau and his wife Charmaine Hebert Juneau, a retired National
14 Board Certified instructor at Gonzales Middle School in Ascension Parish, have three
15 children, Casey, Josh, and Jacob, and two grandchildren, Braydon and Aurora, with whom
16 they share many interests including fishing at the Juneau Camp at Butte LaRose, Louisiana;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize Dan Juneau's commitment and service to
19 the state of Louisiana.

20 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
21 commend Daniel L. Juneau upon his retirement as president of the Louisiana Association
22 of Business and Industry, does hereby recognize and record for posterity his notable
23 accomplishments and manifold contributions to the Louisiana business community, and does
24 hereby extend to Dan Juneau and his family best wishes for continued health and happiness
25 during a well-deserved retirement.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
27 to Daniel L. Juneau.

DIGEST

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Commends Dan Juneau upon his retirement from the Louisiana Association of Business and Industry.