

1 WHEREAS, Mr. Downs was preceded in death by his parents; his sisters, Eunice
2 Downs Sayes, Ilda Downs Woodall, Bernice Downs Kitchen, and Fay Downs Ellerbe; and
3 his brothers, Malcolm C. "Mac" Downs, James Emmett Downs, Charles Ray Downs, Ralph
4 Huey Downs, and Newman Downs; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Downs is survived by his loving wife, Burma; his daughter, Kyle
6 Downs Drerup, and her husband, Lawrence Drerup, M.D.; his son, Stephen Dyer Downs,
7 M.D.; his granddaughter, Jimmie Rose David; and numerous extended family members,
8 cousins, nieces, and nephews; and

9 WHEREAS, Clarence Herbert Downs leaves behind a rich and unique legacy of hard
10 work and dedication and is greatly missed by all whose lives he touched.

11 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
12 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the
13 death of Clarence Herbert Downs of Alexandria, does hereby recognize and record for
14 posterity his notable accomplishments and singular contributions, and does hereby extend
15 enduring appreciation for the pride and honor that he will forever bring to his family and
16 friends, the city of Alexandria, and the state of Louisiana.

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
18 to the family of Clarence Herbert Downs.

DIGEST

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Expresses the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Clarence Herbert Downs.