

1 WHEREAS, registered dental hygienists provide quality preventive oral health care
2 to millions of American adults and children; and

3 WHEREAS, dental hygienists have also established a record of excellence in
4 providing quality care for those patients with special needs; and

5 WHEREAS, there are approximately one thousand six hundred licensed dental
6 hygienists serving the oral health care needs of the people of the state of Louisiana; and

7 WHEREAS, the month of October is designated as Dental Hygiene Month, focusing
8 on the preventive benefits of good oral hygiene; and

9 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Dental Hygienists' Association, along with other dental
10 professions, celebrate Children's Dental Health Month in February, which focuses on the
11 needs of dental care for the children of the state of Louisiana; and

12 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize dental hygienists and to encourage citizens
13 to become familiar with and appreciative of the benefits of good dental hygiene.

14 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
15 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby designate Thursday, April 7, 2016, as Dental Hygiene
16 Day at the state capitol; does hereby commend the Louisiana Dental Hygienists' Association
17 and dental hygienists in Louisiana for their tireless efforts in promoting good dental health
18 for the citizens of the state; and does hereby celebrate one hundred three years of the dental
19 hygiene profession.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
21 to the Louisiana Dental Hygienists' Association.

DIGEST

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Designates April 7, 2016, as Dental Hygiene Day at the state capitol, commends the La. Dental Hygienists' Association, and celebrates 103 years of the dental hygiene profession.