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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 131

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Designates May 30, 2012, as 4-H Day at the legislature and commends the state officers of 4-H

A RESOLUTION

2	To designate May 30, 2012, as 4-H Day at the legislature and to commend the state 4-H
3	Executive Board officers, 4-H members, and volunteers throughout the state for their
4	outstanding accomplishments.
5	WHEREAS, the LSU AgCenter 4-H program can trace its roots back to the "Corn
6	Club", which began in Avoyelles Parish in 1908; and
7	WHEREAS, the 4-H pledge, adopted in 1927, describes the four "Hs" as: Head,
8	Heart, Hand, and Health; and
9	WHEREAS, "Learning by Doing" is the 4-H club slogan which encourages members
0	to develop and improve their critical thinking and communication skills; and
1	WHEREAS, 4-H members participate in development and outreach programs in
12	three primary initiatives: citizenship, healthy living, and science, engineering, and
13	technology; and
14	WHEREAS, 4-H youth learn leadership and life skills through a variety of projects
15	on topics such as outdoor skills, aerospace, animal science, nutrition, forestry, and
16	community service; and
17	WHEREAS, the Louisiana 4-H Youth Development program continues to expand
18	to meet the needs of youth, with participation exceeding two hundred fifty thousand
19	members across the state; and

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1 WHEREAS, through its extraordinary record of research, education, youth 2 development, and community service, Louisiana 4-H is an invaluable asset to the LSU 3 AgCenter and the state of Louisiana; and 4 WHEREAS, today more than twelve hundred 4-H members and volunteers from all sixty-four parishes are at the capitol for the eleventh annual 4-H Day meeting with 5 6 legislators and learning about the legislative process. 7 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby designate May 30, 2012, as 4-H Day at the legislature 8 9 and does hereby commend the 2011-2012 state 4-H Executive Board officers as follows: 10 Robert Fusilier, President; Haley Johnson, Vice President; Emily Boswell,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted

Secretary/Treasurer; Robert Lancon, Historian/Reporter; and Buck Owens, Parliamentarian.

to the state president of the 4-H Executive Board.

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## DIGEST

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