

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5

BY SENATOR BARROW AND REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To declare April 17, 2019, as 100 Black Women of Metropolitan Baton Rouge Day in Louisiana.

WHEREAS, the National Coalition of 100 Black Women was launched on October 24, 1981, and the local chapter, the 100 Black Women of Metropolitan Baton Rouge, on November 5, 2016; and

WHEREAS, its mission is to advocate on behalf of black women and girls to promote leadership development and gender equity in the areas of health, education, and economic empowerment; and

WHEREAS, the local chapter will create, develop, and execute programs within its service area of Baton Rouge and surrounding areas that promote its mission while specifically targeting black women and girls; and

WHEREAS, the National Coalition of 100 Black Women and the 100 Black Women of Metropolitan Baton Rouge have declared the seventeenth day of April 2019, as 100 Black Women of Metropolitan Baton Rouge Day.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby declare April 17, 2019, as 100 Black Women of Metropolitan Baton Rouge Day in Louisiana.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES