

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80

BY SENATOR CHABERT AND REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility and costs of constructing additional exit ramps or of reconstructing the US 90 Overpass [Future I-49] with LA 1 and LA 308 in Lafourche Parish.

WHEREAS, US 90 has been designated as Future I-49; and

WHEREAS, the existing exit ramps from US 90, one to LA 1 and one to LA 308 impede eighteen wheel trucks from exiting onto LA 1 and LA 308 and proceeding in opposite directions on LA 1 or LA 308, without such trucks executing U-turns; and

WHEREAS, the construction of additional exit ramps or the reconstruction of the US 90 Overpass [Future I-49] to include a full interchange with LA 1 and LA 308 is needed to enhance traffic flow and safety.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility and costs of constructing additional exit ramps or of reconstructing the US 90 Overpass [Future I-49] with LA 1 and LA 308 in Lafourche Parish and to submit a written report of its findings to the House and Senate committees on transportation, highways, and public works not later than April 1, 2011.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES