



1 Chi Omega, Omicron Delta Kappa leadership society, Phi Kappa Phi honor society, and Phi  
2 Alpha Delta pre-law society; and

3 WHEREAS, she was elected by the student body to serve as the vice- president of  
4 LSU her junior year; working for the students, tackled issues of campus life, academics, and  
5 the looming budget cuts; as an advocate for the students, raised awareness of how the budget  
6 cuts would affect both LSU and the other schools across the state; and also served on  
7 numerous committees across the campus, such as the University Planning Committee and  
8 the University Council on Women, which helped the campus to move forward in a positive  
9 progression; and

10 WHEREAS, Danielle found time during her senior year to write a thesis for the  
11 Honors College, qualifying her to graduate with college honors, the highest level of  
12 recognition given by the Honors College with her thesis, "Multiparty Negotiations and Their  
13 Settings: How a Change in Location Can Change Bargaining Strategies", taking an indepth  
14 look at how settings can affect the outcomes of multiparty negotiations; and

15 WHEREAS, she was selected for the 2010-2011 LSU Homecoming Court; and

16 WHEREAS, Danielle was selected by the faculty as a Rucks Fellows which  
17 represents the highest level of academic achievement among senior management majors; and

18 WHEREAS, during the 2011 legislative session, Danielle worked with the  
19 Legislators Charity Fund to organize HoopLA, an annual House versus Senate basketball  
20 game that raises money to refurbish basketball courts across the state and with her as the  
21 event coordinator, the organization hosted its first event for the homeless community of  
22 Baton Rouge and they provided homeless individuals with brand new backpacks filled with  
23 supplies to help make life on the streets easier, feed them lunch, and had medical staff  
24 present to perform blood pressure checks; and

25 WHEREAS, she is currently studying at the LSU Paul M. Hebert Law Center and  
26 expects to graduate in May 2014; in her first semester of law school, she was elected as class  
27 president and organized events to help the students adjust to the atmosphere and workload;  
28 and currently, Danielle is in the top ten percent of her class; and

29 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation created the  
30 Women of Excellence Awards to recognize and honor extraordinary women of excellence

1 across the state for their outstanding achievements and contributions; and

2 WHEREAS, recipients of the Women of Excellence Awards exhibit characteristics  
3 of integrity and professionalism, personify excellence in their area of specialty, and are  
4 committed to community service to better society as a whole; and

5 WHEREAS, this year, there were seven categories for the Women of Excellence  
6 Awards: Business, College Woman of Excellence, Education & Research, Government &  
7 Law, High School Woman of Excellence, Science, Technology, Engineering &  
8 Mathematics, and Volunteerism and Civic Involvement; and

9 WHEREAS, the recipients of the 2012 Women of Excellence Awards are being  
10 recognized at the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation's Women of  
11 Excellence Awards Gala on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, in Baton Rouge; and

12 WHEREAS, she was selected to receive a 2012 Women of Excellence Award in the  
13 category of College Woman of Excellence for her highly productive community activism  
14 and service; and

15 WHEREAS, Danielle Lauren Borel merits a sincere and heartfelt measure of  
16 commendation for her dedication to excellence and her outstanding accomplishments.

17 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby  
18 commend Danielle Lauren Borel of Baton Rouge upon being selected as a recipient of a  
19 2012 Women of Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus  
20 Foundation, does hereby recognize and record for posterity her singular contributions to the  
21 citizens of Louisiana as an active and dedicated community servant, and does hereby extend  
22 enduring appreciation for the tremendous honor and pride that she brings to her family and  
23 friends, the city of Baton Rouge, and the state of Louisiana.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
25 Danielle Lauren Borel.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by James Benton.

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DIGEST

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SCR No.

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Excellence Award from the Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus Foundation.