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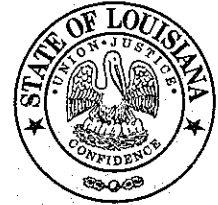
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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**The Legislative Black Caucus Grieves Over the Loss of Civil Rights Leader,  
Dr. Dorothy Height**

**Baton Rouge, Louisiana —Tuesday, April, 20, 2010—** The Civil Rights Movement has lost one of its founding matriarchs, Dr. Dorothy Height. She was an administrator, educator, presidential advisor, and social activist. She dedicated over sixty years of her life to advocating on behalf of people of color, women, and the indigent.

The members of the Louisiana Legislative Black Caucus are deeply saddened by the loss of Dr. Dorothy Height. Regina Barrow, Chairwoman of the LLBC, stated, "When we as members of the Caucus were informed of her death, our hearts were deeply saddened. Dr. Dorothy Height was indeed a champion of the Civil Rights era. We will keep her family and friends in our prayers."

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