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Senate Resolution No. 5843

BY: Senator PARKER

COMMENDING the Haitian Roundtable upon the occasion of hosting its 10th Anniversary with a Soiree on October 23, 2018

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to commemorate those events of historical significance which add strength, vigor and inspiration to the cultural diversity and quality of life in the communities of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commend the Haitian Roundtable upon the occasion of hosting its 10th Anniversary with a Soiree, Celebrating a Decade of Redefining the Narrative, on Tuesday, October 23, 2018; and

WHEREAS, Founded in 2008, the Haitian Roundtable (HRT) is an organization comprised of Haitian-American professionals who are committed to civic engagement as well as philanthropic endeavors benefiting Haiti, Haitian organizations and causes; and

WHEREAS, The organization seeks to heighten awareness locally and nationally of Haitians as an emerging constituency among key stakeholders and institutions through networking, forums and events; and

WHEREAS, In addition, the Haitian Roundtable aims to inform, advocate and promote Haiti as a positive brand; and

WHEREAS, Over its distinguished 10-year history, Haitian Roundtable has demonstrated continuous service to the residents and communities which it serves; and

WHEREAS, The success of the Haitian Roundtable is in direct correlation to the efforts of its members, whose involvement is, and always has been, characterized by an impressive commitment, an unbridled enthusiasm, and an uncompromising standard of excellence in all endeavors on behalf of the organization and the community it serves; and

WHEREAS, This auspicious occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to the Haitian Roundtable; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body, in keeping with its time-honored traditions, to recognize and pay tribute to those organizations which foster ethnic pride and enhance the profile of cultural diversity which strengthens the fabric of the communities of New York State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the Haitian Roundtable upon the occasion of hosting its 10th Anniversary with a Soiree on October 23, 2018; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Haitian Roundtable.