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PORT OF SOUTH LOUISIANA MOURNS LOSS OF DEDICATED EMPLOYEE

The Port of South Louisiana is deeply saddened by the loss of fellow long-time employee Daigle Desselle, who passed away on October 22, 2009 at the age of forty-eight. Mr. Desselle was a valued member of the Port's security department, where he served tirelessly for ten years.

"Daigle was a faithful and dependable employee, who had an immense dedication to



the Port of South Louisiana's Globalplex Facility" said Sylvia Hickman, The Port's Security Supervisor, "he will be missed by our entire organization".

Mr. Desselle leaves behind a former wife (Angela), two children (Chelsey and Dwight), and one grandson (Matthew).

Please join in remembering Mr. Desselle by visiting his memorial at www.MeM.com and sharing your thoughts and fond memories with his family.

The Port of South Louisiana, a 54-mile port district on the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Baton Rouge, is the largest tonnage port in the Western Hemisphere. The cargo it handles accounts for over 50 percent of all Louisiana imports/exports.

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