

House Resolution 103

By: Representatives Williams of the 119th, Quick of the 117th, Frye of the 118th, and Ralston of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Ransom "Randy" Jackson; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, a native of Arkansas, Mr. Ransom "Randy" Jackson was a Major League
3 Baseball player and played in two All-Star games and the World Series in 1956; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mr. Ransom "Randy" Jackson played football for Texas Christian University
5 and the University of Texas, playing three seasons of college football, which included being
6 the first and only person to play in back-to-back Cotton Bowl Classics with two different
7 teams; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he played 12 seasons of professional baseball, playing in two all-star games
9 in 1954 and 1955; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he was known as "Handsome Ransom," all-star third baseman for the Chicago
11 Cubs; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he was the last person to hit a home run for the Brooklyn Dodgers; and
- 13 WHEREAS, a talented athlete, he played for numerous teams throughout his career,
14 including the Chicago Cubs, the Brooklyn Dodgers, the Los Angeles Dodgers, and the
15 Cleveland Indians; and
- 16 WHEREAS, he is a member of the University of Texas Longhorn Hall of Honor and the
17 Brooklyn Dodgers Hall of Fame; and
- 18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
19 remarkable and distinguished resident of Athens, Georgia, be appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body recognize and commend Mr. Ransom "Randy" Jackson for his
22 amazing athletic career.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Mr.
25 Ransom "Randy" Jackson.