

## House Resolution 134

By: Representatives Marin of the 96<sup>th</sup>, Park of the 101<sup>st</sup>, Kausche of the 50<sup>th</sup>, Gilliard of the 162<sup>nd</sup>, Nguyen of the 89<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and Prime Minister Imran  
2 Khan; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia and Pakistan have a strong history of mutual friendship,  
4 admiration, and respect; and

5 WHEREAS, the people of the State of Georgia and Pakistan have deep bonds of beneficial  
6 business, bilateral trade, and economic interests; and

7 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia and Pakistan have maintained a special relationship based  
8 on shared democratic values, common geopolitical strategic interests, and mutual respect;  
9 and

10 WHEREAS, the people of the State of Georgia and Pakistan enjoy enriching cultural, social,  
11 governmental, and educational relationships and interactions; and

12 WHEREAS, Pakistani-Americans have become an integral part of mainstream American  
13 society and have made innumerable contributions to the State of Georgia in the fields of  
14 finance, technology, law, medicine, education, sports, media, the arts, the military, and  
15 government, as well as other areas; and

16 WHEREAS, the honorable Prime Minister of Pakistan Imran Khan remains steadfastly  
17 committed to peace with Pakistan's neighbors and continues to promote mutual respect and  
18 understanding between cultures and religions, enhancing stability and promoting prosperity  
19 and diplomacy throughout the world; and

20 WHEREAS, Imran Khan has diligently and conscientiously devoted his life, talents, and  
21 energy to helping the poor of Pakistan as evidenced dramatically by his exceptional service  
22 as Prime Minister of Pakistan; and

23 WHEREAS, as the Pakistani-American community prepares for a new era and creates new  
24 history, Pakistani-Americans ought to instill in younger generations an appreciation for the  
25 courage and values of their forefathers, a deep sense of their roots, and pride in their own  
26 cultural heritage and religion so that they may better contribute to the great State of Georgia.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
28 the members of this body recognize and commend the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Prime  
29 Minister Imran Khan, and the great friendship and citizenship of Pakistani-Americans.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the  
32 public and the press.