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House Resolution 1495

By: Representatives Thomas of the 56th, Alexander of the 66th, Stovall of the 74th, Jones of the 53rd, and Brooks of the 55th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Mrs. Mable Frances Liggins Strong; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Mable Frances Liggins Strong was born on February 2, 1914, in Austell,
- 3 Georgia, and this year she enjoys the rare distinction of celebrating her 100th birthday; and
- 4 WHEREAS, she was united in love and marriage for more than 60 years to the late Curtis
- 5 Strong, and she is the mother of three remarkable children, Gloria Boyd, Gwendolyn Hood,
- 6 and Arthur Strong, and is a grandmother, great-grandmother, and great-grandmother;
- 7 and
- 8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Strong has been an active member of Beulah Baptist Church for 70 years;
- 9 and
- 10 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
- 11 the foundation and framework of success in which her family members have developed and
- 12 flourished; and
- 13 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
- 14 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Strong possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through experience
- and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many challenges of
- 17 life; and
- 18 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
- 19 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

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20 WHEREAS, a kind and generous woman, Mrs. Strong brings joy and happiness to her many

- 21 friends, neighbors, and family members who have the great pleasure of knowing her; and
- 22 WHEREAS, she has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of her
- 23 lifetime, and we salute her contribution to its progress by her own hard work and good
- 24 citizenship; and
- 25 WHEREAS, by the example Mrs. Mable Frances Liggins Strong has made of her life, she
- 26 makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she be
- 27 appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.
- 28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 29 the members of this body commend Mrs. Mable Frances Liggins Strong for her unselfish,
- 30 dedicated, and loving service to the members of her family and the citizens of her community
- 31 and state, congratulate her on the remarkable occasion of her 100th birthday, and extend the
- 32 most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.
- 33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 34 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Mable Frances Liggins
- 35 Strong.