

## House Resolution 260

By: Representatives Frazier of the 126<sup>th</sup>, Howard of the 129<sup>th</sup>, Prince of the 132<sup>nd</sup>, Hugley of the 141<sup>st</sup>, and Gladney of the 130<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Reverend Terence Alton Dicks; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens  
3 with the passing of Reverend Terence Alton Dicks on January 5, 2023; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Reverend Terence Alton Dicks was born on July 7, 1961, a beloved son of  
5 George Bernard Dicks Sr. and Gardenia Griffin-Dicks; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, he was an ordained Baptist minister who  
7 delivered the message of Christ's mercy and love in many churches and settings over his life,  
8 and above all things, he lived the love and message of Christ; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Reverend Terence Alton Dicks gave inspiration to many through his high  
10 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and  
11 understanding he demonstrated to his family and friends were admired by others; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation  
13 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he  
14 made this world a better place in which to live; and

15 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man who demonstrated his commitment to  
16 witnessing Christ through word and deed, Reverend Terence Alton Dicks will long be  
17 remembered for his love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who  
18 had the great fortune of knowing him.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
20 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Reverend Terence Alton  
21 Dicks and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
23 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
24 family of Reverend Terence Alton Dicks.