17 LC 115 0171

House Resolution 395

By: Representatives Abrams of the 89th and McClain of the 100th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Georgia American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial
- 2 Organizations (AFL-CIO); and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Georgia AFL-CIO was chartered in 1957 by the American Federation of
- 4 Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations and will be celebrating 60 years of fighting
- 5 for working families in Georgia; and
- 6 WHEREAS, under the guiding hands of the AFL-CIO leadership, President Charlie
- 7 Flemming, Secretary-Treasurer Yvonne T. Robinson, and President Emeritus Richard A.
- 8 Ray, and the exemplary work ethic demonstrated daily by its dedicated employees, this
- 9 outstanding federation has grown from its humble beginnings to become one of the most
- 10 respected organizations in this state; and
- 11 WHEREAS, the Georgia AFL-CIO has established a glowing reputation of renown
- 12 throughout Georgia for its ability to strengthen the voice of Georgia working families at all
- 13 levels of government and in a changing global economy, support Georgia workers in
- 14 improving their living conditions and workplaces, and meet the diversified needs of 10.5
- million working women and men of every race and ethnicity and from every walk of life; and
- 16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 17 extraordinary federation be appropriately recognized.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 19 the members of this body commend the Georgia American Federation of Labor and Congress
- 20 of Industrial Organizations for its many outstanding contributions on behalf of the citizens
- 21 of Georgia and extend best wishes for continued growth, development, and success.

17 LC 115 0171

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 Georgia American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations.