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House Resolution 872

By: Representative Houston of the 170th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life of Lieutenant Hugh L. Moore and dedicating a bridge in his memory; and
- 2 for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Hugh L. Moore was born on August 17, 1918, the beloved son of
- 4 Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Moore; and
- 5 WHEREAS, a native of Nashville, Georgia, Lt. Moore graduated from the University of
- 6 Georgia in 1938 and served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty as a pilot with
- 7 the United States Armed Forces during World War II; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he flew at least eight missions over Germany, participated in the Battle of
- 9 Midway as a pilot of a Flying Fortress bomber, and went missing in action over enemy
- 10 territory in Europe on July 28, 1942; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Lt. Moore's bravery and courage were recognized with an Air Medal with Oak
- 12 Leaf Cluster and a Purple Heart; and
- 13 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this remarkable and distinguished
- 14 Georgian be recognized appropriately by dedicating a bridge in his memory.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
- 16 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that the bridge on Nashville Tifton Highway/State Route 125
- 17 between the Virgil T. Barber Bridge and the City of Nashville in Berrien County is dedicated
- as the Lieutenant Hugh L. Moore Memorial Bridge.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
- 20 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Lieutenant Hugh L. Moore
- 21 Memorial Bridge.

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22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

- 23 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 24 family of Lieutenant Hugh L. Moore and to the Department of Transportation.