

Senate Resolution 225

By: Senators Anderson of the 43rd, Harbison of the 15th, Jones of the 10th, Sims of the 12th, Mallow of the 2nd and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Sergeant Sondra Sharp Adams on the occasion of her military
2 retirement; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, our nation's security continues to rely on patriotic men and women who put
4 their personal lives on hold in order to place themselves in harm's way to protect the
5 freedoms that all United States citizens cherish; and

6 WHEREAS, Sergeant Sondra Sharp Adams has valiantly and courageously served as a
7 guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United States Military for more than
8 30 years; and

9 WHEREAS, throughout her distinguished career, Sgt. Adams has demonstrated a deep
10 personal commitment to protecting democracy and being willing to sacrifice her own
11 personal safety and comfort to ensure the well-being of others; and

12 WHEREAS, she directed, developed, and performed logistics management operations that
13 involved planning, coordinating, and evaluating the actions required to support missions
14 defending our nation's freedom globally, equipping her with a diverse skill set and deep level
15 of expertise; and

16 WHEREAS, Sgt. Adams is a highly decorated veteran recipient of numerous awards and
17 decorations, which include the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal
18 with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster, the Army Achievement Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters, the
19 National Defense Service Medal, and more; and

20 WHEREAS, only those with great strength, discipline, and a firm resolve achieve positions
21 of such status, and Sgt. Adams has brought great credit to herself, her family, this state, and
22 this nation through her outstanding performance and dedication; and

23 WHEREAS, her selfless and heroic actions stand as a shining tribute to the strength of
24 human spirit and willpower, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding
25 accomplishments of this remarkable and distinguished American be appropriately
26 recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
28 recognize and commend Sergeant Sondra Sharp Adams for her effective, unselfish, and
29 dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and this nation; congratulate her upon the
30 grand occasion of her retirement; and extend the most sincere best wishes for continued
31 health and happiness.

32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
33 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Sergeant Sondra
34 Sharp Adams.