

Senate Resolution 316

By: Senators Miller of the 49th, Unterman of the 45th, Williams of the 27th, Martin of the 9th and Kennedy of the 18th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing February 28, 2017, as Goodwill at the Gold Dome Day; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, in 2015, four Goodwill organizations across Georgia placed 27,595 people into
3 jobs, impacting Georgia by \$21.2 million; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the ripple effect of those jobs throughout Georgia's economy generate an
5 additional 2,216 jobs or a total of 29,811 jobs with total wages of \$240.4 million; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Goodwill organizations employ 4,859 people with a fiscal impact to Georgia
7 of \$22.1 million; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the ripple effect of jobs at Goodwill organizations generates an additional 1,183
9 jobs for a total of 6,042, paying out \$149.7 million; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Goodwill operations create \$329.4 million in economic output across Georgia;
11 and
- 12 WHEREAS, Goodwill organizations across Georgia produce a combined economic output
13 of \$673.7 million in every county and community in Georgia.
- 14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
15 recognize February 28, 2017, as Goodwill at the Gold Dome Day.
- 16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
17 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the public and the
18 press.