

## Senate Resolution 828

By: Senators Tippins of the 37th, Thompson of the 14th, Rhett of the 33rd, Kirkpatrick of the 32nd, Jordan of the 6th and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Daniel L. Orton II for his exceptional performance as a  
2 program integrator for the Defense Contract Management Agency, Lockheed  
3 Martin-Marietta; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Daniel L. Orton II served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with  
5 the United States Air Force, valiantly and courageously protecting his fellow Americans as  
6 a non-destructive inspector; and

7 WHEREAS, while serving in the Air Force, he received his associate's degree from Embry  
8 Riddle University; and

9 WHEREAS, in 1987, he transferred to the Dobbins Air National Guard where he became a  
10 full-time technician before transitioning to the Dobbins Air Force Reserve in 1996, from  
11 which he eventually retired in 2004; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Orton started his civilian career with the Defense Contract Management  
13 Agency (DCMA)-Atlanta in 2004 as a quality assurance specialist and, after briefly joining  
14 the private sector in 2006, he returned to civil service at DCMA Lockheed Martin-Marietta

15 in 2008 where he eventually earned the role of quality assurance lead; finally, he became a  
16 program integrator supporting multiple major defense acquisition programs; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. Orton proved to be indispensable during engagements among DCMA staff  
18 and with foreign military partners; and

19 WHEREAS, he has earned high praise from the many customers with whom he has worked,  
20 thanks to his dedication to DCMA's mission and his ability to create open dialogue among  
21 mission stakeholders; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
23 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
25 recognize Daniel L. Orton II for his exceptional performance as a program integrator for  
26 Lockheed Martin, commend him for his service to this nation, and extend best wishes for  
27 future success and happiness.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
29 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Daniel L. Orton  
30 II.