

Senate Resolution 887

By: Senators Davenport of the 44th, Harrell of the 40th, Sims of the 12th, Harbison of the 15th, Seay of the 34th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Dr. George Jones, Jr., on his outstanding service as an internal
2 medicine specialist; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Dr. George Jones, Jr., has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for
4 the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the
5 welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced by his
8 superlative service in the field of medicine; and

9 WHEREAS, he graduated from Emory University School of Medicine in 1963 and has 61
10 years experience as an internal medicine specialist; and

11 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United
12 States Army as Chief of the Department of Medicine at Fort McPherson Hospital; and

13 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, he is an active member of Peachtree Christian
14 Church; and

15 WHEREAS, his significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience and
16 diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state have
17 earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

18 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high
19 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens, and he possesses the vast wisdom
20 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
21 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

22 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
23 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

24 WHEREAS, he has served with honor and distinction and his vision and unyielding
25 commitment will be sorely missed upon the occasion of his retirement; and

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

28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
29 recognize and commend Dr. George Jones, Jr., for his efficient, effective, unselfish, and
30 dedicated service; congratulate him upon the grand occasion of his retirement; and extend
31 the most sincere best wishes for continued 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 Dr. George Jones,
34 Jr.