

House Resolution 1322

By: Representatives Jamieson of the 22nd, Smith of the 12th and Cummings of the 27th

A RESOLUTION

1 Creating the House Arts Education Study Committee; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, arts education is an indispensable component of a well-rounded and
3 comprehensive education program; and

4 WHEREAS, it is essential to the continued evolvement of education in this state that a
5 comprehensive study of arts education be conducted to determine its level of adequacy and
6 effectiveness, in the elementary, middle, and high schools of this state in comparison to such
7 education in other states.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
9 there is created the House Arts Education Study Committee to be composed of five members
10 of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of
11 Representatives. The Speaker shall designate a member of the committee as chairperson of
12 the committee. The chairperson shall call all meetings of the committee.

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee shall undertake a study of the conditions,
14 needs, issues, and problems mentioned above or related thereto and recommend any action
15 or legislation which the committee deems necessary or appropriate. The committee may
16 conduct such meetings at such places and at such times as it may deem necessary or
17 convenient to enable it to exercise fully and effectively its powers, perform its duties, and
18 accomplish the objectives and purposes of this resolution. The members of the committee
19 shall receive the allowances provided for in Code Section 28-1-8 of the Official Code of
20 Georgia Annotated. The allowances authorized by this resolution shall not be received by
21 any member of the committee for more than five days unless additional days are authorized.
22 The funds necessary to carry out the provisions of this resolution shall come from the funds
23 appropriated to the House of Representatives. In the event the committee makes a report of
24 its findings and recommendations, with suggestions for proposed legislation, if any, such

1 report shall be made on or before December 1, 2002. The committee shall stand abolished
2 on December 1, 2002.