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Senate Resolution 1015

By: Senator Hill of the 4th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending George W. "Jack" Strickland, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, George W. "Jack" Strickland, Jr. is a native of Evans County where he is well
- 3 known and highly respected as a prominent businessman and an influential civic leader who
- 4 has contributed substantially to improve the quality of life of his fellow citizens; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he was born on March 1, 1925 and served his country with honor during World
- 6 War II; in May of 1948, purchased the Evans Concrete Products Company in Daisy, Georgia;
- 7 and over the years, expanded his operations to 12 plants throughout Georgia with his main
- 8 offices in Claxton, Georgia; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he credits his tremendous success to his dedicated employees and his loyal
- 10 customers, but his personal leadership, vision, and commitment to the needs of individuals
- and families have significantly strengthened their opportunities and well-being; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he contributed the major portion of the funds for building the Evans Memorial
- 13 Hospital addition named the Jack Strickland Rehabilitation Center in his honor and his stellar
- 14 participation in numerous civic organizations, including the Rotary, Masons, and Shriners
- as well as the Chamber of Commerce and the Evans County Wildlife Club is highly valued.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 17 recognize and commend George W. "Jack" Strickland, Jr. for his generosity of spirit to his
- 18 community and state and convey to him their sincerest appreciation and respect.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 20 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jack Strickland, Jr.