

Senate Resolution 1052

By: Senators Price of the 56th, Thomas of the 54th, Gingrey of the 37th, Starr of the 44th, Crotts of the 17th and others

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Expressing regret at the passing of Dr. James A. Kaufmann; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, James A. Kaufmann, M.D., graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1947  
3 and joined the Medical Association of Georgia in 1953 where he was a member in good  
4 standing for nearly 50 years; and

5 WHEREAS, Dr. Kaufmann served his community, state, nation, and profession with honor  
6 and distinction and received scores of honors and accolades from professional and civic  
7 organizations, including the Medical Association of Georgia's Distinguished Service Award,  
8 the American Medical Association's Benjamin Rush Award for Citizenship and Community  
9 Service, the American Society of Internal Medicine's Distinguished Internist Award, the  
10 B'nai B'rith Distinguished Service Award, the Christian Council of Metropolitan Atlanta's  
11 Outstanding Community Service Award, the NAACP's Humanitarian Award, and many other  
12 coveted awards; and

13 WHEREAS, Dr. Kaufmann was instrumental in establishing the Medical Association of  
14 Georgia's Medical Aid Station in the Georgia State Capitol which has been used for more  
15 than 30 years to attend to the medical needs of members of the General Assembly, staff, and  
16 members of the public who required medical assistance while visiting Georgia's Capitol  
17 during legislative sessions; and

18 WHEREAS, Dr. Kaufmann died on April 11, 2002, leaving behind his much beloved wife  
19 Alice, daughter Nancy, son Robert, and stepdaughter Holly, and his exemplary public service  
20 will be long remembered.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body expresses its  
22 deep regret and profound sadness upon the passing of Dr. James A. Kaufmann and conveys  
23 its appreciation and gratitude for his contributions to his profession and to the citizens of the  
24 State of Georgia.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Dr. James A. Kaufmann.