

Senate Resolution 131

By: Senators Starr of the 44th, Gillis of the 20th, Dean of the 31st, Jackson of the 50th, Thomas of the 10th and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual
3 convention in Atlanta, Georgia, on September 19-22, 2001, and the Atlanta Hispanic
4 Chamber of Commerce promoted holding this national event in Georgia's capital city; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the Hispanic business community founded the Georgia Hispanic Chamber of
6 Commerce in 1984 in response to its significant growth throughout the state and the need
7 to bring its concerns to the forefront of Georgia's economic agenda; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the Hispanic population is growing faster than any other population group in
9 Georgia and is gaining economic clout, and the Hispanic business community plays an
10 important role in the economic and political development of Atlanta and the entire state; and
- 11 WHEREAS, GHCC is committed to its mission to promote and support the domestic and
12 international economic development of Hispanic businesses and individuals and to serve as
13 a link between non-Hispanic entities and the Hispanic market; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Georgia is honored to host the United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce's
15 Annual Convention for 2001 and commends its member organizations on their efforts to
16 strengthen Hispanic business enterprises and the business environment at every level.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body recognizes and
18 welcomes the 2001 United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce's Annual Convention and
19 commends the Atlanta Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on hosting this national event.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Atlanta Hispanic Chamber of
22 Commerce.