

Senate Resolution 192

By: Senator Bowen of the 13th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Miss Leslie Elizabeth Sharpe, 2001 Georgia Watermelon
2 Queen; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Miss Leslie Sharpe was recently selected as the 2001 Georgia Watermelon
4 Queen by the Georgia Watermelon Association. In Leslie, the association found a deserving
5 queen as she has had years of experience working with farmers, the community, and
6 watermelons; and

7 WHEREAS, Leslie, the 20 year-old daughter of Terry and Joyce Sharpe of Hawkinsville,
8 Georgia, is a student at Georgia Southern University pursuing a degree in fashion
9 merchandising; and

10 WHEREAS, she has served as her sorority's social chairman and property manager and
11 represented her sorority in the "Miss Georgia Southern" pageant; and

12 WHEREAS, Leslie also enjoys running, lifting weights, aerobics, and participating in
13 intramural sports; and

14 WHEREAS, as Georgia Watermelon Queen, Leslie is the official spokesperson for the
15 Georgia Watermelon Association, and she will make many appearances during 2001 across
16 the state on behalf of Georgia's watermelon industry. With her poise and intelligence and
17 connection to farming, Leslie will be an exemplary representative of agriculture and the
18 watermelon industry in Georgia; and

19 WHEREAS, it is the desire of this body to recognize Miss Sharpe for her talent, intelligence,
20 and beauty and to wish her every success in the future.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
2 recognize and commend Miss Leslie Sharpe on her selection as the 2001 Georgia
3 Watermelon Queen and for her many achievements and the outstanding way she represents
4 the State of Georgia and its agricultural heritage.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
6 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Miss Leslie Sharpe.