

Senate Resolution 198

By: Senator Perdue of the 18<sup>th</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Honorable Larry Thomson; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Honorable Larry Thomson has served the citizens of Houston County with the  
3 utmost ability and dedication as a member of the Board of County Commissioners since  
4 January 1, 1999; and

5 WHEREAS, he has a long and distinguished record of public service, having been a member  
6 and secretary of the planning and zoning commission from 1983 through 1989 and  
7 subsequently serving as a member of the Houston County Board of Elections from January,  
8 1991, through April, 1998; and

9 WHEREAS, his knowledge of local government, keen understanding of issues, and forthright  
10 manner facilitated the resolution of complex matters and renewed the public's trust; and

11 WHEREAS, his abilities were recognized and highly valued within the private sector where  
12 he served as a member of the Board of Directors of BankSouth and encouraged responsible  
13 participation in community and governmental affairs; and

14 WHEREAS, numerous organizations benefited from his involvement and influence, and his  
15 public service has always been marked by a genuine concern for the welfare of others.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
17 recognize and commend Honorable Larry Thomson for his distinguished community service  
18 and convey to him their 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 Honorable Larry Thomson.