

House Resolution 577

By: Representatives Seay of the 93rd, Teague of the 58th, Brooks of the 54th, Smyre of the 136th, McKinney of the 51st and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the Frederick Douglass High School Class of 1971; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the members of the Frederick Douglass High School Class of 1971 will hold
3 a reunion in 2001 commemorating the thirtieth year of their graduation; and
- 4 WHEREAS, a joyful occasion for renewing the bonds of childhood friendships, the class
5 reunion will reunite the 339 graduates of 1971; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Frederick Douglass High School was newly opened in the City of Atlanta on
7 September 3, 1968, under the guidance of its principal, Dr. Lester Butts; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the Class of 1971 was only the school's second graduating class; and
- 9 WHEREAS, the lives of the class members have undoubtedly been marked by life's usual
10 vicissitudes, the triumphs of great achievements, and the sorrows of great losses during the
11 ensuing 30 years; and
- 12 WHEREAS, as the Class of 1971 comes together from places across the country to relive old
13 memories, recount past deeds, share their stories, and to renew their hope, we extend our
14 sincere wishes that for each of them that occasion is filled with joy and satisfaction.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body recognize the Frederick Douglass High School Class of 1971 on
17 the happy occasion of its thirtieth reunion.
- 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
19 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Frederick Douglass High
20 School Class of 1971.