

House Resolution 587

By: Representatives Wilkinson of the 43rd and Twiggs of the 8th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Expressing regret at the passing of Mr. Donald Harris; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, on March 2, 2001, the State of Georgia lost one of its finest and most
3 distinguished citizens with the untimely passing of Mr. Donald Harris; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he was a lifelong resident of Georgia, who devoted his life to his community
5 through his service as a civil engineer; and
- 6 WHEREAS, this beloved gentleman was actively involved in the civic, religious, and
7 charitable affairs of his community and gave unstintingly and unceasingly of his time,
8 talents, and energy to improve the quality of life in his community, as dramatically evidenced
9 by his years of service as substitute teacher at Rabun County High School, as an actor with
10 the Rabun County Players, and as a member of the International Plastic Modelers Society,
11 building model airplanes and winning many friends as well as contests; and
- 12 WHEREAS, his unparalleled organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience
13 and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his acute sensitivity to the needs of the citizens
14 of his community earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the untimely passing of this generous and devoted family man who loved
16 children leaves an unfillable void in the hearts and lives of his family and friends.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body express their deepest and most sincere regret at the passing of
19 Mr. Donald Harris.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to his wife, Freida Harris.