

House Resolution 652

By: Representatives Lunsford of the 109th, Cash of the 108th and Crawford of the 129th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Expressing regret at the passing of Harold Daniel, Sr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Harold Daniel, Sr., will be long remembered by his broad circle of friends and
3 associates in his community and by the wonderful family he supported and loved; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he grew up in Locust Grove, Georgia, began teaching English in 1940, and was
5 named superintendent of Pike County Schools in 1944, a position he served in for more than
6 20 years; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Mr. Daniel earned his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of
8 Georgia and his doctorate in education from Nova University; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he was highly respected among his colleagues, serving as a president of the
10 Georgia Association of School Superintendents and as an officer in the Retired Teacher
11 Association; and
- 12 WHEREAS, after his retirement in 1980, Mr. Daniel became the head of "55 Alive," a
13 program sponsored by the AARP that teaches older motorists safe driving techniques,
14 because he felt that elderly people should continue to be mobile in society; and
- 15 WHEREAS, in the words of his son, Randy, "In his heart he was always a teacher"; and
- 16 WHEREAS, he was a loving husband to his wife, Mary; an understanding father to his
17 children, Randy, Harold, and Claire; and wonderful role model to his five grandchildren who
18 will treasure his memory forever; and
- 19 WHEREAS, his dedication, experience, and earnest approach to his responsibilities and
20 duties earned him the respect and admiration of his associates and peers, and his presence
21 will be sorely missed and his legacy to the community cherished forever.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body express regret at the passing of Harold Daniel, Sr.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
4 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Harold Daniel,
5 Sr.