

Senate Resolution 27EX2

By: Senator Ragan of the 11th

A RESOLUTION

1 Expressing regret at the passing of Earl Elvin Hart; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Earl Elvin Hart will be long remembered by the citizens of Ellenton, Georgia,
3 where he was a well-known and highly respected civic leader for many years and improved
4 the quality of life for his fellow citizens; and

5 WHEREAS, he served with honor and integrity as Mayor of Ellenton from 1982 through
6 1999, and previously as a member of the city council, and his leadership and careful study
7 of governmental issues contributed to sound decision-making; and

8 WHEREAS, he was a native of Colquitt County, the son of the late Amanda Griffin Hart and
9 Alexander Hardy Hart, and enjoyed his 80 years living in Colquitt County, except for the
10 period of time he served our country in the United States Army in World War II; and

11 WHEREAS, he resigned as Mayor in 1999, but those who knew him still referred to him by
12 title, and

13 WHEREAS, having devoted a good number of years to improving Ellenton, he was
14 passionate about the city's recreational complex, volunteer fire department, rural health
15 center, and bettering Ellenton's streets and water systems; and

16 WHEREAS, he was a devoted husband to his wife, Dorothy, and beloved father,
17 grandfather, brother, and uncle; and

18 WHEREAS, his unparalleled organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience
19 and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his acute sensitivity to the needs of others
20 earned him the admiration, respect, and love of all who came to know him; and

1 WHEREAS, his generosity, initiative, and genuine regard for the welfare of others inspired
2 good will among all who knew him, and his memory will be honored forever.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
4 express regret at the passing of Earl Elvin Hart and convey their heartfelt sympathy to his
5 family.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
7 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Hart.