

## House Resolution 33

By: Representatives Reece of the 11<sup>th</sup>, Snow of the 1<sup>st</sup>, Ray of the 108<sup>th</sup>, Purcell of the 122<sup>nd</sup> and James of the 114<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Bill Baisley; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Bill Baisley is a well-known and highly respected Georgia agribusinessman  
3 who has been a key leader in the development and growth of Georgia's poultry and egg  
4 industry and its national status as a premier producer of quality poultry commodities; and
- 5 WHEREAS, his knowledge and understanding of poultry production, business acumen, and  
6 keen vision of the industry's future were recognized by his peers, and he has ably served as  
7 President of the Georgia Poultry Federation; Chairman of the Georgia Poultry Improvement  
8 Association; President of the Dixie Poultry Exposition; First Vice Chairman of the Georgia  
9 Agribusiness Council; Director of the National Chicken Council; and Vice President and  
10 Director of the U.S. Poultry and Egg Association; and
- 11 WHEREAS, he serves on the Advisory Board of the *Georgia Poultry Market News*; is the  
12 poultry representative on the Executive Committee of the U.S. Animal Health Association;  
13 and is an active member and former president of Civitan, Sertoma, and Rotary Clubs; and
- 14 WHEREAS, in addition to his sterling career as Vice President of Peterson Farms, Bill has  
15 been president of the Mental Health Association; president of the John W. Looper Speech  
16 & Hearing Clinic; president of the local PTA; and a devoted member of the Baptist Church  
17 where he has been a Deacon, Mission Leader, and Sunday School Director.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
19 the members of this body recognize and commend Bill Baisley for his lifetime of leadership,  
20 service, and achievement for the poultry industry and his superb public service for Georgians  
21 and convey their appreciation and best wishes on the momentous occasion of his retirement.
- 22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
23 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Bill Baisley.