

## House Resolution 330

By: Representatives Royal of the 140<sup>th</sup>, Buck of the 112<sup>th</sup>, Coleman of the 118<sup>th</sup>, Jamieson of the 22<sup>nd</sup> and Skipper of the 116<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending T. Jerry Jackson; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, T. Jerry Jackson has long been recognized by the citizens of the State of  
3 Georgia as the personification of perfection in his mastery of matters of state and local  
4 taxation; and

5 WHEREAS, he is an honest and dedicated public servant who strives for excellence in all  
6 his endeavors and whose primary concern is the financial welfare of Georgia and its citizens;  
7 and

8 WHEREAS, this beloved individual has exhibited extraordinary devotion to duty,  
9 outstanding loyalty, fine leadership, and meticulous attention to detail in all his duties  
10 throughout his career of peerless public service as state revenue commissioner from 1996 to  
11 2003 and as deputy state revenue commissioner from 1980 to 1996; and

12 WHEREAS, he is of a naturally quiet and retiring disposition and has placed himself into a  
13 position demanding the most public of performances, and his mastering of the substantive  
14 aspects of state and local taxation has brought an unmatched expertise to the operation and  
15 administration of the Department of Revenue; and

16 WHEREAS, the members of this body, and in particular those who worked closely with Jerry  
17 on so many taxing matters, will always admire his consistently thorough consideration of  
18 taxation issues presented to this deliberative body, and his integrity and reliability rightfully  
19 earned him our honor, respect, and trust over the years; and

20 WHEREAS, he has consistently demonstrated a solid commitment to the careful study of  
21 sensitive issues and proposed solutions and has quickly developed a reputation as an

1 equitable, impartial leader whose decisions are governed by the rules of honesty and fair play  
2 and whose actions are marked by unmatched dignity, grace, and wisdom; and

3 WHEREAS, his unparalleled organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience  
4 and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his acute sensitivity to the needs of the citizens  
5 of his community and state have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and  
6 associates; and

7 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
8 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be recognized appropriately.

9 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
10 the members of this body commend T. Jerry Jackson for the almost two and one-half decades  
11 of effective, efficient, unselfish, and dedicated service that he has rendered on behalf of  
12 Georgia and extend to him their utmost appreciation for his having so purely and truly  
13 defined for others the meaning of public servant.

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
15 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to T. Jerry Jackson.