

Senate Resolution 304

By: Senator Thomas of the 10th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the Brown Sugar Stitchers Guild; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the Brown Sugar Stitchers Guild renders a valuable service to our society by
3 its dedication to preserving and fostering the great art of quilting; and

4 WHEREAS, as a community based quilting group formed three years ago in DeKalb County,
5 the Brown Sugar Stitchers Guild creates, stimulates, and maintains an interest in all matters
6 pertaining to the making, collecting, and preserving of quilts; and

7 WHEREAS, the enthusiastic members of the nonprofit organization promote several
8 educational and philanthropic endeavors through quilts, including contributing funds to the
9 Friends of the Wesley Chapel Library to support summer programs for children; and

10 WHEREAS, the Brown Sugar Stitchers Guild also conducts an annual project in which it
11 provides personalized quilts to the children at Carrie Steele-Pitts Orphanage, the oldest black
12 orphanage in the country; and

13 WHEREAS, the Brown Sugar Stitchers Guild proudly upholds the great quilting tradition
14 within our culture.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
16 honor and commend the Brown Sugar Stitchers Guild and convey their greetings and best
17 wishes on the occasion of its third annual quilt show on May 3, 2003.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
19 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Elisa Lewis.