

House Resolution 600

By: Representatives Mangham of the 62nd, Stephenson of the 60th, Post 1, Greene-Johnson of the 60th, Post 3, Watson of the 60th, Post 2, and Bunn of the 63rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Expressing sorrow at the loss of Jamaal Addison and honoring the memory of this brave
2 soldier; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Spc. Jamaal Addison of the 507th Maintenance Company of the United States
4 Army was killed in combat while serving his country in Iraq on Sunday, March 23, 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Jamaal Addison was a distinguished and beloved citizen of the State of Georgia
6 who graduated from Lakeside High School in 1998 where he was a member of the Junior
7 ROTC before he went on to military service on behalf of his nation; and

8 WHEREAS, he is remembered by his family and friends as a gentle and kind person who
9 nevertheless did not hesitate to display the courage, honor, and fortitude necessary to go into
10 combat for his country; and

11 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to pay tribute to this fallen hero.

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
13 each and every member of this body hereby honors the memory of Jamaal Addison,
14 expresses their deep and abiding appreciation of his service and ultimate sacrifice, and
15 conveys to his family their sincere condolences and sympathy.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to
17 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of the late Jamaal Addison.