

House Resolution 702

By: Representative Jenkins of the 93rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Culloden Highland Games and Scottish Festival and inviting officials of
2 the City of Culloden and members of the Culloden Highland Games and Scottish Festival
3 Committee to the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, to commemorate the Battle of Culloden and to honor the clans which
5 participated in the battle, the ninth annual Culloden Highland Games and Scottish Festival
6 will be held on April 26-27, 2003, in Culloden, Georgia; and

7 WHEREAS, Culloden, Georgia, was settled in 1780 by William Culloden of Culloden,
8 Scotland, and the two Cullodens are the only cities to have their own tartan; and

9 WHEREAS, included in the festivities will be the kilted mile run, a formal sponsor's
10 reception, massed bands, a clan competition, Scottish country dancing, a piping competition,
11 a highland dancing competition, a sheep dog demonstration, athletic events, the Kirkin O'the
12 Tartans, and a ceilidh; and

13 WHEREAS, the games promote cooperation and good will between the Scottish clans and
14 those in the United States; and

15 WHEREAS, thousands of people, Scots and non-Scots alike, from throughout the United
16 States and the world are expected to attend this wonderful event; and

17 WHEREAS, such celebrations of the cultural diversity of the people of Georgia are to be
18 welcomed and encouraged by all Georgians.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body commend the efforts of Culloden, Georgia, and wish the city great
21 success in its ninth annual Culloden Highland Games and Scottish Festival.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the officials of the City of Culloden and the members
2 of the Culloden Highland Games and Scottish Festival Committee are invited to appear
3 before the House of Representatives at a date and time to be designated by the Speaker of the
4 House of Representatives.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the City of Culloden.