

House Resolution 1249

By: Representatives Skipper of the 116th, Walker of the 115th, Campbell of the 39th, Bordeaux of the 125th, Ralston of the 6th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Professor R. Perry Sentell, Jr.; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Professor R. Perry Sentell, Jr. is recognized routinely and regarded refulgently
3 throughout the State of Georgia as the perpetually preeminent personification of
4 extraordinary excellence in educating esquires; and

5 WHEREAS, this profoundly preceptive precisionist has served with humble honor and
6 dynamic distinction as a memorable member of the faculty at the University of Georgia
7 School of Law since 1958 and possesses presently the Marion and W. Carter Chair in Tort
8 and Insurance Law; and

9 WHEREAS, his prodigiously prolific pennings have pierced perspicaciously the verdant veil
10 of ignoble ignorance and ironic inconsistencies which comprise complexly the juridical
11 junctures of inscrutable insurance, telling torts, municipal misadventures, county
12 conundrums, and less than lucid legislation; and

13 WHEREAS, his soundly significant organizational and leadership talents, his radiantly
14 remarkable patented patience and didactic diplomacy, his keenly kinetic sense of vision, and
15 his superb sensitivity to the needs of his current collection of colleagues in the judiciary, the
16 state bar, and the General Assembly have earned him their resounding respect and ardent
17 admiration; and

18 WHEREAS, he is a person of multiple magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachably
19 unsmirched reputation for intrepid integrity, insightful intelligence, fundamental fairness, and
20 caring kindness; his lasting loyalty, complete competency, renowned reliability, and euphoric
21 enthusiasm have distinguished distinctly his superlative service to this sovereign state; and
22 his frank friendship is counted cognoscibly by statutory scribes as an experience evermore
23 they will treasure truly; and

1 WHEREAS, his rigorously righteous refusal to embrace the mundane or mediocre has
2 emblazoned emphatically the minds and hearts of those who proclaim proudly their elite
3 enrollment in the courageous corps of Sentell Scholars; and

4 WHEREAS, he has announced his retirement commencing on July 1, 2004, and it
5 abundantly appropriate, fortuitously fitting, and profusely proper to observe overtly that he
6 is, as teacher and mentor, the stuff of legend, but that he is, most importantly of all, the man
7 we call a friend, and we may never, ever, see his like again.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
9 the members of this body recognize resoundingly Professor R. Perry Sentell, Jr. for his
10 almost five decades of unparalleled and unexcelled conspicuously committed contributions
11 to the ascendant advancement and quintessential quality of lawyerly learning; concurrently
12 congratulate him upon the outstanding occasion of his resplendent retirement; and extend
13 extensively to him their most heaping heartfelt well wishes for health and happiness in the
14 future.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
16 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Professor R. Perry Sentell,
17 Jr.