

## House Resolution 1726

By: Representatives Howard of the 98<sup>th</sup> and Murphy of the 97<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing Bishop Frank Curtis Cummings; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Bishop Frank Curtis Cummings is a native of Selma, Alabama, and is the  
3 seventh of nine children born to Annie and Edmond Cummings; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he has distinguished himself as an outstanding and dynamic pastor in the  
5 African Methodist Episcopal Church; and
- 6 WHEREAS, in 1976 he was elected and consecrated the 95th Bishop in the African  
7 Methodist Episcopal Church and, in that capacity, has served the 1st, 8th, and 11th Episcopal  
8 Districts and presently serves the 6th Episcopal District; and
- 9 WHEREAS, throughout his career he has distinguished himself as a builder of lives as well  
10 as of buildings; and
- 11 WHEREAS, his sterling, yet compassionate leadership style and grace have inspired, lifted,  
12 and carried countless individuals; and
- 13 WHEREAS, he is a loving and caring husband to his "Angel," Mrs. Martha C. Cummings;  
14 and is a loving and caring father and grandfather to his daughter, Paschell Mix, and three  
15 granddaughters.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
17 the members of this body recognize Bishop Frank Curtis Cummings for his faithful and  
18 compassionate service to the African Methodist Episcopal Church, his parishioners, and his  
19 community.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Bishop Frank Curtis
- 3 Cummings.