

House Resolution 1760

By: Representatives Martin of the 37th and Burkhalter of the 36th

A RESOLUTION

1 Creating the House Georgia Technology Authority Study Committee; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the Georgia Technology Authority was created in 2000 as a successor to the
3 GeorgiaNet Authority and was given the power to establish technology policies and
4 standards for state agencies; and

5 WHEREAS, the Georgia Technology Authority is authorized to prescribe procedures for the
6 procurement of technology resources for state agencies and to establish architecture for state
7 technology infrastructure; and

8 WHEREAS, the authority is authorized to provide oversight and program management for
9 all technology resources for projects exceeding a cumulative investment of \$1 million to
10 accomplish goals of technology portfolio management; and

11 WHEREAS, there is a need for a study of the relationship of the authority with state
12 agencies, the successes of the authority, any problems which may have arisen between the
13 authority and other state agencies, and the structure of rates and charges imposed by the
14 authority.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 there is created the House Georgia Technology Authority Study Committee to be composed
17 of five members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the
18 House of Representatives. The Speaker shall designate a member of the committee as
19 chairperson of the committee. The chairperson shall call all meetings of the committee.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee shall undertake a study of the above
21 issues and recommend any actions or legislation which the committee deems necessary or
22 appropriate. The committee may conduct such meetings at such places and at such times as
23 it may deem necessary or convenient to enable it to exercise fully and effectively its powers,

1 perform its duties, and accomplish the objectives and purposes of this resolution. The
2 members of the committee shall receive the allowances provided for in Code Section 28-1-8
3 of the O.C.G.A. but shall receive the same for not more than five days unless additional days
4 are authorized. The funds necessary to carry out the provisions of this resolution shall come
5 from the funds appropriated to the House of Representative. In the event the committee
6 makes a report of its findings and recommendations, with suggestions for proposed
7 legislation, if any, such report shall be made on or before December 31, 2004. The
8 committee shall stand abolished on December 31, 2004.