

Senate Resolution 1034

By: Senator Balfour of the 9th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Rick Barry for outstanding contributions to public  
2 education in the State of Georgia and for receiving the 2004 Brookwood High School  
3 Teacher of the Year award; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Barry is a highly respected social studies teacher at Brookwood High  
5 School; and

6 WHEREAS, he has been a teacher since 1974 and founded the Georgia Academic Team  
7 Association in 1988; and

8 WHEREAS, the contributions and achievements of Mr. Barry have been recognized by his  
9 selection as 2004 Brookwood High School Teacher of the Year; and

10 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young  
11 people and Mr. Barry exemplifies the selfless dedication which is characteristic of our finest  
12 educators; and

13 WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this body join in expressing appreciation to Mr. Barry for  
14 his efforts and accomplishments.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
16 recognize and commend Mr. Rick Barry for outstanding contributions to public education  
17 in the State of Georgia; extend their congratulations upon his selection as 2004 Brookwood  
18 High School Teacher of the Year; and express their gratitude for the great credit this  
19 outstanding educator reflects upon his school and school system and the State of Georgia.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Rick Barry.