

House Resolution 1881

By: Representatives Harrell of the 54th, Graves of the 106th, O`Neal of the 117th, Harbin of the 80th, and Hugley of the 113th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics and recognizing
2 it on the occasion of its 50th anniversary; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics is composed of
4 over 1,700 members, including primary care pediatricians and medical and surgical pediatric
5 specialists who devote their medical careers exclusively to the care of infants, children, and
6 adolescents; and

7 WHEREAS, the missions of the Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics are
8 to improve the health and welfare of all infants, children, adolescents, and young adults in
9 the State of Georgia and to bind qualified pediatricians of the state into a representative and
10 united organization; and

11 WHEREAS, for years, the Georgia Chapter has been vital and effective in advocating issues
12 which affect children to the Georgia General Assembly and has been instrumental in
13 improving the quality of pediatric care in this state; and

14 WHEREAS, the Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics met for the first
15 time in Macon, Georgia, in May of 1954 and this year is proud to celebrate its 50th
16 anniversary as an advocate of children and their health care in this state.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body commend the Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of
19 Pediatrics and recognize it on the occasion of its 50th anniversary and express their
20 appreciation to the Georgia Chapter for its history of advocacy on behalf of the health and
21 well-being of Georgia's children.

- 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 the Georgia Chapter of the
- 3 American Academy of Pediatrics.