

Senate Resolution 1207

By: Senator Kemp of the 3rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and remembering the great life and spirit of Mr. Jimmie Ray Fletcher; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the City of Moultrie and the State of Georgia lost one of their finest citizens,
4 friends, and spirits with the passing of Mr. Jimmie Ray Fletcher on May 22, 2002; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Fletcher was born in Moultrie, Georgia, on May 4, 1943, and his loving and
6 devoted parents raised him in a house of full of joy and trust; and

7 WHEREAS, he spent his childhood and formative years as a young man attending school in
8 Florida where he undoubtedly developed his warm sense of humor, personable spirit,
9 disposition, and fondness for people; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Fletcher was a distinguished and faithful veteran of the Florida National
11 Guard; and

12 WHEREAS, he was an astute judge of character and the possessor of a keen intellect and wit
13 that served him well as an esteemed political strategist and campaign manager; and

14 WHEREAS, he lent his political and campaign expertise to public officials throughout
15 Georgia and managed such notable campaigns as those of Liberty County Sheriff Don
16 Martin, Chief Magistrate Judge Melinda Anderson, state senator Rene Kemp, Lieutenant
17 Governor Mark Taylor, and state representative Buddy DeLoach; and

18 WHEREAS, he gave unselfishly of himself, his time, and his talent to innumerable charities
19 and political candidates and was a loyal and true member and supporter of the American
20 Legion.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
2 honor and remember the great life and spirit and many wonderful contributions of Mr.
3 Jimmie Ray Fletcher and express their sincerest and deepest condolences to his family.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Jimmie Ray Fletcher.