

House Resolution 38EX

By: Representatives Smith of the 76th, Heard of the 75th, Coleman of the 118th, Porter of the 119th, Skipper of the 116th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Dr. Louise McBee and honoring her service in the House of Representatives;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Dr. Louise McBee has served in this House of Representatives with great honor
4 and distinction since 1992 and has announced that she will not seek reelection in 2004; and

5 WHEREAS, she has carried out many important legislative duties with great ability and
6 dedication, including most recently service as a member of the Appropriations and
7 Retirement Committees and as Chairperson of the Higher Education Committee; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. McBee is a native of Jefferson County, Tennessee, where she attended Rush
9 Strong High School, and she went on to distinguish herself in her higher education, receiving
10 college and graduate degrees from the Tennessee and Ohio State university systems; and

11 WHEREAS, she was for many years a respected and admired figure in the administration of
12 the University of Georgia, from which she retired as Vice President for Academic Affairs;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, she has compiled an unparalleled record of volunteer and community service,
15 far too lengthy to enumerate here but including recent service with the Red Cross Board, the
16 Girl Scout Board, the Athens-Clarke County Hospital Authority, the United Way, the Athens
17 Chamber of Commerce, the State Health Planning Review Board, and numerous other
18 activities and organizations; and

19 WHEREAS, her colleagues in the House have come to know and esteem Dr. McBee for her
20 wisdom, her professionalism, and her untiring devotion to the State of Georgia.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body hereby recognize Dr. Louise McBee, honor her outstanding service
3 in this body, and extend to her every best wish for the future.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to
5 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. McBee.