

House Resolution 216

By: Representatives Jamieson of the 28th, Neal of the 1st, Kidd of the 115th, Porter of the 143rd, Floyd of the 147th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Urging the President and the Congress of the United States to consider the importance of all
2 14 Georgia military installations; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, within the year, Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld, through the Base
4 Realignment and Closure Commission, will make recommendations about which military
5 installations are to be considered for closure in cost cutting measures and has indicated that
6 reductions may total an estimated 100 such installations; and

7 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia has 14 distinct and important military installations; and

8 WHEREAS, Albany Marine Corps Logistics Base; Athens Navy Supply Corps School;
9 Atlanta Naval Air Station; Fort Benning; Dobbins Air Reserve Base; Fort Gillem; Fort
10 Gordon; Hunter Army Airfield; King Bay Submarine Base; Fort McPherson; Marine Aircraft
11 Group 42, Atlanta; Moody Air Force Base; Fort Stewart; and Robins Air Force Base are at
12 the forefront of this nations war on terrorism; and

13 WHEREAS, these bases represent an integral and irreplaceable component of the safety of
14 this state and nation and are vitally important to the goal of attaining national security.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
16 GEORGIA that the President and the Congress of the United States are urged to consider the
17 importance of all 14 of Georgia's military installations and the vital need to protect our
18 nation.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to transmit appropriate copies this resolution to the President of the United
21 States and each member of the Georgia congressional delegation.