

Senate Resolution 175

By: Senator Jones of the 10th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and commending Reverend Edward W. Lee; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Reverend Lee is a native of Henry County and has served as pastor of Shiloh
3 Baptist Church for 30 years; and
- 4 WHEREAS, graduating in 1962 from the former H.C.T.S. of McDonough, Georgia, he
5 entered the Interdenominational Theological Center of Atlanta and later attended and
6 graduated from Morris Brown College, where he received his bachelor's degree; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Reverend Lee has served as the Director of the New Era State Congress and as
8 Moderator of the Shoal Creek Baptist Association and was named Shiloh's "Man of the Year"
9 in 1994; and
- 10 WHEREAS, in June, 2002, he retired after 33 years of service as an executive with the
11 YMCA of Atlanta and has the distinction of having a room named in his honor at the
12 Campbellton YMCA; and
- 13 WHEREAS, he is also Chairman of the Board for the McDonough Housing Authority, a
14 member of the Henry County United Way Advisory Board, and a member of the Board of
15 Directors for Henry County Residential Housing; and
- 16 WHEREAS, he is a dedicated husband to his lovely wife Betty, a wonderful father to Ted
17 and his wife Melva and Reverend Eric W. Lee and his wife Miek, and a beloved grandfather
18 to his precious grandchildren, Eric Wendell Lee, Elizabeth Wonder, and Emanuel Warrick
19 Lee; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Reverend Edward W. Lee will serve as "Pastor of the Day" for the Georgia
21 State Senate on February 17, 2005.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
2 join in honoring and commending Reverend Edward W. Lee for his many years of dedication
3 and service to McDonough and the Henry County community and extend their sincere
4 gratitude for his service as "Pastor of the Day."

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
6 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Reverend Edward W. Lee.