

Senate Resolution 505

By: Senator Zamarripa of the 36th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and commending the Henry W. Grady High School Mock Trial team; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Henry W. Grady High School Mock Trial team was formed in 1995 to teach
4 students through experience about the legal process, to nurture leadership skills, and to
5 encourage academic competition; and

6 WHEREAS, the Grady High School Mock Trial team has a strong history of success,
7 previously winning nine regional championships and the state championship and a thirteenth
8 place finish at the National High School Mock Trial Competition in 2000; and

9 WHEREAS, the members of the 2005 Grady High School Mock Trial team include students
10 Curry Andrews, Marcus Brooks, Sean Corley, Josie Duffy, Katherine Hagan, Kimberly
11 Hagan, Kenny Jones, Laura Jones, Janna Kaplan, Caroline McGlamry, Dyci Manns, Katalin
12 Ritz, Walker Rick, and Matt Westmoreland, as well as Teacher Coaches Lawrence McCurdy
13 and Kurt Phillips, and also Attorney Coaches Carl Gebo, DeAnn Gibson, Dolores Henriquez,
14 Trinh Huynh, Ashley Palermo, and Jay Patton of Powell Goldstein LLP; and

15 WHEREAS, the members of 2005 Grady High School Mock Trial team have been honored
16 with numerous individual awards, including 15 Best Witness and Best Attorney Awards; and

17 WHEREAS, the team won the Metro Atlanta Regional Championship on February 19, 2005,
18 and the State Championship competition on March 13, 2005; and

19 WHEREAS, this accomplished team will represent the State of Georgia at the National High
20 School Mock Trial Championship from May 5 to May 7, 2005.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
22 join to honor and commend the members of the 2005 Henry W. Grady High School Mock

1 Trial team for winning their second Georgia State Mock Trial Championship and for their
2 many individual awards, encourage them in their endeavors, and extend sincere best wishes
3 for their success at the National High School Mock Trial Championship.

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 Grady High School Mock Trial team.