By: Senator Meyer von Bremen of the 12th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life and memory of Retired Master Sergeant Louie D. Davis; and for other

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3 WHEREAS, Ret. MSgt. Louie D. Davis, one of the most distinguished citizens of Georgia

4 and the City of Columbus, recently passed away after having lived a full and meaningful life;

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6 WHEREAS, Ret. MSgt. Davis was born on September 22, 1921, in Lawrenceville, Georgia,

- 7 the son of the late Dave Davis and Alice Givens Davis; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he honorably served our country in the United States Army for 22 years, having
- 9 fought in WWII, receiving his Master Parachutist Badge and a Bronze Star as well as the
- 10 Breast Order of Yun-Hui with Ribbon from the National Government of China; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Ret. MSgt. Davis was courageous and showed great strength as a member of
- 12 the first paratrooper test platoon in 1940; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Ret. MSgt. will live forever in the memory of those for whom he so proudly and
- 14 gallantly served his country; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he was very involved in his community, having been a member of Wynnbrook
- 16 Baptist Church, the Masonic Lodge #131 in Lawrenceville, Georgia, Eastern Star, and
- 17 Scottish Rite of Columbus, Georgia; and
- WHEREAS, Ret. MSgt. Davis was preceded in his death by his beloved wife, Inez Davis and
 son and daughter-in-law, Earl and Phillis Davis; and

- 1 WHEREAS, he is survived by one son, Larry Michael Davis, and daughter-in-law, Patti
- 2 Davis; four grandchildren, Charles "Chuck" Davis, Shannon Davis, Brett Davis, and Kendyl
- 3 Davis; and three great-grandchildren, Courtney Davis, Emily Davis, and C.J. Davis; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Ret. Msgt. Davis was a model of commitment to his family and country.
- 5 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 6 honor the life of Ret. MSgt. Louie D. Davis, praise the example his life has set for others, and
- 7 offer their sincerest condolences to his family.
- 8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 9 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Ret. MSgt. Louie D. Davis.