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House Resolution 1356

By: Representatives Jackson of the 161st, Bordeaux of the 162nd, Carter of the 159th, Bryant of the 160th, and Brooks of the 63rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and recognizing Reverend Dr. Bennie R. Mitchell, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Reverend Mitchell has served as pastor of Connor's Temple Baptist Church in
- 3 Savannah, Georgia, since 1974; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Reverend Mitchell is responsible for bringing the congregation of Connor's
- 5 Temple Baptist Church to the forefront of community involvement in the Savannah area; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Reverend Mitchell's leadership has led to a much needed \$3 million family and
- 7 community research center; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Reverend Mitchell has been recognized with the Ivan Allen, Jr., Award for
- 9 Excellence in Human Relations as well as having the following albums credited to his
- 10 ministry: "Ye Must Be Born Again," "I've Been Sick for a Long Time," "Hold to God's
- 11 Unchanging Hand," and "He was the Talk of the Town"; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Reverend Mitchell is a model family man supported by his wife, Betty, and
- three children.
- 14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 15 the members of this body commend and recognize the work of Reverend Dr. Bennie R.
- 16 Mitchell, Jr.
- 17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Reverend Dr. Bennie R.
- 19 Mitchell, Jr.