

House Resolution 2190

By: Representatives Reese of the 98th, Coan of the 101st, and Mills of the 25th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Ms. Karin Manis on being named the 2005-2006 Buford City Schools Teacher
2 of the Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, throughout her 19 years of teaching, Ms. Karin Manis, a first grade teacher at
4 Buford Elementary School, has touched countless lives with her dedication to her students
5 and tremendous passion for learning; and

6 WHEREAS, Ms. Manis is a graduate of Brenau University in Gainesville, Georgia, where
7 she earned a Bachelor of Science in 1987, a Master of Education in 2001, and an educational
8 specialist degree in 2004; and

9 WHEREAS, in the 18 years she has been with Buford City Schools, Ms. Manis has also
10 taught Chapter 1 Reading and Math in grades one through three, fourth grade, and
11 kindergarten, and has served her school community in a variety of capacities, including as
12 PTO officer, school council teacher representative, grade level chairperson, mentor to first
13 year teachers, Wolfpack after-school director, and GKAP trainer; and

14 WHEREAS, Ms. Manis's creative approach to teaching and her commitment to
15 professionalism have earned her the respect and admiration of colleagues, students, and
16 parents, and she has earned numerous honors, including being designated as a Model and
17 Master Teacher in the Reading Renaissance program and being named as Employee of the
18 Month; and

19 WHEREAS, thanks to her unwavering devotion to excellence, she has now been named as
20 the 2005-2006 Buford City Schools Teacher of the Year; and

21 WHEREAS, no one could be more worthy of this prestigious award than this outstanding
22 teacher, and it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to pay tribute to the
23 extraordinary accomplishments of one Georgia's finest education professionals.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body join to commend Ms. Karin Manis for being selected as the 2005-
3 2006 Buford City Schools Teacher of the Year and to thank her for her many invaluable
4 contributions to education in Georgia.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Karin Manis.