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House Resolution 264

By: Representative Channell of the 116th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Honorable Laverne Ogletree, judge of the Probate Court of Greene County;
- 2 and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Laverne Ogletree has served as judge of the probate court, chief magistrate, and
- 4 elections superintendent of Greene County since 1982; and
- 5 WHEREAS, she previously served as chief clerk of such court from 1974 to 1982; and
- 6 WHEREAS, she has rendered distinguished public service throughout her career, particularly
- 7 in her role as elections superintendent; and
- 8 WHEREAS, as proclaimed by the *Herald Journal*, she has been highly responsive to changes
- 9 in Georgia election law and has focused on implementing fair and impartial elections in
- 10 Greene County, and maintaining integrity and public confidence in the election process has
- 11 been her highest priority; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she has been nominated by several Georgia Secretaries of State to serve on
- 13 various state election committees, and former Secretary of State Cathy Cox nominated her
- 14 to serve on the election fraud task force in 2001; and
- 15 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that she be recognized by this body.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 17 the members of this body commend Honorable Laverne Ogletree for her many contributions
- 18 to the welfare of her community and this state.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Honorable Laverne
- 21 Ogletree.