

Senate Resolution 305

By: Senators Tolleson of the 20th, Hill of the 4th, Henson of the 41st, Bulloch of the 11th, Meyer von Bremen of the 12th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Jill Stuckey; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Jill Stuckey received her Bachelor in Business Administration from Ohio
3 University and began her career at Triangle, Inc., where she became part owner and built one
4 of the largest fuel maintenance companies in the state; and

5 WHEREAS, she traded private industry for state employment when she sold her company
6 interest in 1992 and went to work for the Environmental Protection Division's Underground
7 Storage Tank Program where she developed the idea to combine all state owned fuel tanks
8 into one agency's control, the Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority (GEFA); and

9 WHEREAS, through GEFA, Jill saved the state over \$100 million in environmental
10 remediation and capital costs by implementing her ideas; and

11 WHEREAS, her focus then turned to alternative fuels where she is working on infrastructure
12 and guiding business owners in locating alternative fuels industries in Georgia; and

13 WHEREAS, now the alternative fuels guru in Georgia, Jill currently serves as the alternative
14 fuels director for GEFA and is the liaison between the state and the budding alternative fuels
15 industry; and

16 WHEREAS, she has shepherded investment bankers, corporate goliaths, and venture
17 capitalists from California, the United Kingdom, Brazil, China, South Africa, Norway,
18 Croatia, and across Georgia; and

19 WHEREAS, Jill was instrumental in securing the \$250 million investment of the Range
20 Fuels, Inc., cellulosic ethanol plant in Soperton, Georgia; and

1 WHEREAS, she works tirelessly for the State of Georgia to ensure that this state will be the
2 production and development leader of alternative fuels in the country and the world; and it
3 is most fitting this body should commend her diligent efforts, talents, and energy toward the
4 betterment of her community and state as evidenced dramatically by her service to the State
5 of Georgia.

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
7 commend Jill Stuckey for her years of efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public
8 service to the citizens of her community and state and extend to her their most sincere best
9 wishes for continued health and success.

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
11 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jill Stuckey.