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House Resolution 544

By: Representative Hudson of the 124th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and remembering the life of Mr. Clarence Clayborn "Clay" Chamblee III; and for
- 2 other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mr. Clarence Clayborn "Clay" Chamblee III was born to the late Clarence C.
- 4 Chamblee, Jr., and Helen Brown Chamblee of Sparta, Georgia, where he was raised; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he worked in the insurance industry for most of his professional career,
- 6 spending the last 14 years in Hancock County as the agent for Hancock County Farm
- 7 Bureau; and
- 8 WHEREAS, his successes in the business world included numerous awards and recognitions,
- 9 but he considered his biggest success to be his wonderful, loving family; and
- 10 WHEREAS, a friend to many, Clay Chamblee is remembered for his devotion to his wife
- and for his great love of his family, especially his children and grandchildren; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he touched the hearts and lives of everyone he met and was esteemed
- 13 throughout the insurance industry and the community of Hancock County as a forthright
- businessman and a gentleman of unimpeachable character; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he is survived by his devoted wife of 37 years, Diane Wells Chamblee; his
- 16 wonderful children and their spouses, Marc and Lisa Ziegler Chamblee and Heather
- 17 Chamblee Russell and Russ Russell; his grandchildren, Rett Russell, Chamblee Russell, Eli
- 18 Chamblee, and Caleb Chamblee; and numerous cousins, nieces, and nephews; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Georgia has lost one of its most distinguished citizens with the unfortunate
- 20 passing of Mr. Clarence Clayborn "Clay" Chamblee III.

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 $1\quad \mathsf{NOW}, \mathsf{THEREFORE}, \mathsf{BE}\,\mathsf{IT}\,\mathsf{RESOLVED}\,\mathsf{BY}\,\mathsf{THE}\,\mathsf{HOUSE}\,\mathsf{OF}\,\mathsf{REPRESENTATIVES}\,\mathsf{that}$

- 2 the members of this body join together to express their deepest regret at the passing of Mr.
- 3 Clarence Clayborn "Clay" Chamblee III and extend their most sincere condolences to his
- 4 family.
- 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 the family of Mr. Clarence
- 7 Clayborn "Clay" Chamblee III.