

Senate Resolution 670

By: Senator Chapman of the 3rd

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life of and expressing regret at the passing of George R. Jacobus, Jr.; and for  
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, on January 4, 2007, the State of Georgia lost one of its finest and most  
4 distinguished citizens with the passing of George R. Jacobus, Jr.; and

5 WHEREAS, this long-time resident of St. Simons Island was long recognized by the citizens  
6 of his community for the vital role he played in leadership and for his deep personal  
7 commitment to the welfare of the citizens of Georgia and the United States; and

8 WHEREAS, he diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,  
9 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community as evidenced dramatically by his  
10 many years of superlative service as a school teacher; and

11 WHEREAS, this extraordinary man also served as an active member of the American Legion  
12 Guale Post 4092, Veterans of Foreign Wars; the Golden Isles Lions Club, Lodge 707 F &  
13 AM; St. Marks Episcopal Church; and the Glynn County Republican Party; and

14 WHEREAS, he served his country with honor and distinction as a member of the United  
15 States army during the Second World War as a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne Division;  
16 and

17 WHEREAS, he was renowned for his significant organizational and leadership talents, his  
18 remarkable patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs  
19 of the citizens of his community, earning him the respect and admiration of his colleagues  
20 and associates; and

21 WHEREAS, this singular gentleman was a person of magnanimous strengths with an  
22 unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

1 WHEREAS, the passing of this generous, kind, and devoted family man leaves an unfillable  
2 void in the hearts and lives of his family and friends.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
4 express their deepest and most sincere regret at the passing of George R. Jacobus, Jr., and  
5 commend him for a lifetime of efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
7 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of George R. Jacobus, Jr.