

Senate Resolution 860

By: Senators Williams of the 19th, Murphy of the 27th, Wiles of the 37th and Stoner of the 6th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the National Federation of Independent Business in Georgia;
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) is the nation's leading
4 small business advocacy association, with offices in Washington, D.C., and all 50 state
5 capitals; and

6 WHEREAS, founded in 1943 as a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization, NFIB gives small and
7 independent business owners a voice in shaping the public policy issues that affect their
8 businesses; and

9 WHEREAS, NFIB's powerful network of grassroots activists sends its views directly to state
10 and federal lawmakers, thus playing a critical role in supporting America's free enterprise
11 system; and

12 WHEREAS, NFIB's mission is to promote and protect the right of its members to own,
13 operate, and grow their businesses; and

14 WHEREAS, NFIB's Georgia membership of approximately 10,000 represents a constituency
15 of small businesses reaching every corner of the state.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
17 recognize and commend the National Federation of Independent Business in Georgia for its
18 work in serving small independent businesses and for its members' continued commitment
19 to enhancing the climate for free enterprise state wide.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia chapter of the National
22 Federation of Independent Business.