

Senate Resolution 983

By: Senators Mullis of the 53rd, Cowser of the 46th, Johnson of the 1st, Reed of the 35th, Seabaugh of the 28th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Dr. Charles S. Bullock, III; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Dr. Charles S. Bullock, III, is a distinguished political science professor at the
3 University of Georgia and one of the foremost authorities on legislative politics and Southern
4 politics in the country, and his contributions to the University of Georgia and the State of
5 Georgia are immeasurable; and

6 WHEREAS, he is the recipient of numerous awards and honors, including the prestigious
7 honor of being named the Richard B. Russell Professor of Political Science at the University
8 of Georgia; the Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor, the highest teaching award
9 at the University of Georgia; and receiving the William A. Owens Award, recognizing his
10 excellence in research and creative activity; and

11 WHEREAS, as the University of Georgia Legislative Intern Program director since 1973, Dr.
12 Bullock has been instrumental in the academic development of more than three decades of
13 University of Georgia student interns, many of whom have become prominent figures in
14 Georgia politics and other professions; and

15 WHEREAS, his passion for Southern politics is evident as he is notorious for doing the best
16 Eugene Talmadge impersonation in the South; and

17 WHEREAS, he is a past president of the Southern Political Science Association and the
18 Georgia Political Science Association and a past chair of the Legislative Studies Group; and

19 WHEREAS, he is the author of 18 books and over 160 articles and book chapters; he is
20 involved in numerous professional organization activities and serves on various editorial
21 boards; and he provides reviews for numerous publications, books, and organizations; and

1 WHEREAS, he has made numerous guest appearances on radio and television shows, has
2 served as an expert witness to congressmen and legislative committees, and has provided
3 consultation to private companies, colleges, law firms, and attorneys general, performing all
4 these activities while being actively involved in teaching and serving the University of
5 Georgia community.

6 WHEREAS, his wife, Frances, and his two grown daughters, Beth and Rebecca, have been
7 a constant base of support throughout his exemplary career.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
9 recognize and commend Dr. Charles Bullock, III, for his outstanding and exemplary service
10 to education, politics, his community, this state, and our nation.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
12 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Charles Bullock, III.