

House Resolution 1657

By: Representative Hembree of the 67th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Chestnut Log Middle School; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Chestnut Log Middle School won the Middle School division of the state-wide
3 Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl competition for the second year in a row; and

4 WHEREAS, several years ago Helen Ruffin, a dynamic and innovative library media
5 specialist in the DeKalb County school system, created the unique reading competition to
6 encourage students to read the Georgia Book Awards nominees list of books; and

7 WHEREAS, this year is the ninth annual county-wide competition for the Georgia Helen
8 Ruffin Reading Bowl which is open to students in grades four through twelve across the
9 state; and

10 WHEREAS, Chestnut Log Middle School winning team members are Courtney Jackson,
11 Hannah Drosky, Andrew Hater, Jordan Raley, Rashard Leonard, Seth Blair, Zach Fowler,
12 Isaac Carter, and Gavin Finch; and

13 WHEREAS, these dedicated students and their teachers committed innumerable days and
14 months in preparation for this unique and challenging competition, and it is most fitting this
15 body recognize the Chestnut Log Middle School state-wide Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl
16 Competition champions.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body heartily congratulate the Chestnut Log Middle School Helen Ruffin
19 Reading Bowl champions and wish them continued success in their educational and personal
20 endeavors.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Chestnut Log Middle
- 3 School Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl Competition team.