

House Resolution 1748

By: Representative Powell of the 29th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Maria Dorough on the occasion of her retirement; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Maria Dorough has long been recognized by the citizens of Georgia for the vital
3 role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the welfare of
4 the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state as evidenced
7 dramatically by her many years of superlative public service to the state of Georgia; and

8 WHEREAS, she began her career with state government in the Permits and Enforcement
9 Division of the Department of Transportation, transferring to the Georgia Public Service
10 Commission in 1976, where she worked over the years as a Specialist I; Specialist II;
11 Principal Specialist; Director of the Safetynet, Registration and Accounting Departments;
12 and Director of the Certification and Permitting Unit; and

13 WHEREAS, she next went to work for the Department of Motor Vehicle Safety, where she
14 worked on the transition team and was Director of the Commercial Vehicle Unit, and then
15 moved to the Department of Driver Safety, where she currently serves as Division Director
16 of Regulatory Compliance and administers various programs within the department; and

17 WHEREAS, she is a devoted wife to her husband, James, and a loving mother to her four
18 children, Tracye, Rockey, Shane, and Robyn; and

19 WHEREAS, her significant organizational and leadership talents, her remarkable patience
20 and diplomacy, her keen sense of vision, and her sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of
21 this state have earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

1 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
2 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

3 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
4 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

5 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
6 the members of this body commend Maria Dorough for her many years of efficient, effective,
7 unselfish, and dedicated public service; congratulate her upon the grand occasion of her
8 retirement; and extend to her their most sincere best wishes for continued health and
9 happiness.

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
11 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Maria Dorough.