

House Resolution 1784

By: Representative Coleman of the 97th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Caterina Li; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Ms. Caterina Li, an esteemed resident of Duluth, Georgia, and a senior at
3 Duluth High School in Duluth, has achieved national recognition for exemplary volunteer
4 service by receiving a 2008 Prudential Spirit of Community Award; and

5 WHEREAS, this prestigious award, presented by Prudential Financial in partnership with the
6 National Association of Secondary School Principals, honors young volunteers across
7 America who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to serving their communities;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, Ms. Li earned this award by giving generously of her time and energy to start
10 "Crossroads of Hope," a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing educational funding
11 for underprivileged children in rural China, and her fundraising efforts have generated
12 \$31,000.00 to provide student scholarships, books, newspapers, and school supplies; and

13 WHEREAS, the success of the State of Georgia, the strength of our communities, and the
14 overall vitality of American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young
15 people like Ms. Li who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others; and

16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to recognize with particularity
17 the outstanding accomplishments of this extraordinary individual.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body join together in recognizing Ms. Caterina Li and commend her on
20 her outstanding service to young cancer patients, her community, and this state.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Caterina Li.