

## House Resolution 2144

By: Representatives Beasley-Teague of the 65<sup>th</sup>, Brooks of the 63<sup>rd</sup>, Mangham of the 94<sup>th</sup>, and Thomas of the 55<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and remembering the life of Emmanuel Cecil Eaves; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Emmanuel Cecil Eaves, the fifth child of the late Elder Cecil R. Eaves and Mrs.  
3 Gladys Collins Eaves, was born on March 15, 1926 in Jacksonville, Florida; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he attended the public schools in Jacksonville and upon graduating from Stanton  
5 High School, he matriculated at Morehouse College in Atlanta, where he received his  
6 Bachelor of Arts degree; and
- 7 WHEREAS, following his graduation from Morehouse, Emmanuel enlisted in the United  
8 States Army and faithfully and courageously served his country; and
- 9 WHEREAS, it is because of individuals like Emmanuel Cecil Eaves that we enjoy the  
10 freedoms and promise that America extends to all; and
- 11 WHEREAS, he was reared in a religious environment and showed much interest in various  
12 church activities even serving as Superintendent of Sabbath School and choir director while  
13 attending services in Jacksonville; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he held membership and participated in numerous social and professional  
15 organizations including Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity and Morehouse Alumni Association; and
- 16 WHEREAS, although the light of the world dimmed with his passing on Monday, July 11,  
17 1994, his memory lives on in the hearts and minds of his family and friends.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
19 the members of this body join in honoring and remembering the life of Emmanuel Cecil Eaves  
20 and express their deepest regret at his passing.

- 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 family of Emmanuel
- 3 Cecil Eaves.