

House Resolution 1465

By: Representatives Lindsey of the 54th and Dobbs of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Sarah McCauley; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Sarah McCauley of Atlanta, Georgia, has earned national recognition by being
3 honored with the 2010 Prudential Spirit of Community Award; and
- 4 WHEREAS, established in 1995 by Prudential Financial and the National Association of
5 Secondary School Principals, the Prudential Spirit of Community Award honors young
6 volunteers across America who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to service
7 in their community; and
- 8 WHEREAS, a junior at North Atlanta High School, Sarah raised nearly \$20,000 for brain
9 cancer research by knitting and selling scarves after her uncle was diagnosed with a
10 malignant tumor; and
- 11 WHEREAS, for her project, "Strands of Hope," Sarah learned to knit, solicited support from
12 businesses and yarn manufacturers, taught others to knit, and sold her scarves at craft fairs,
13 at scarf parties, and through her website; and
- 14 WHEREAS, the success of the State of Georgia, the strength of communities, and the vitality
15 of this nation depend heavily upon the service of young people and their willingness to
16 devote their time, energy, and talent to others; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Sarah represents the true spirit of service, peer leadership, and responsibility,
18 and the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation to the future of this bright and
19 promising young student.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body commend Sarah McCauley's incredible community service to this

22 state and extend congratulations for being recognized with the 2010 Prudential Spirit of
23 Community Award.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Sarah McCauley.