## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the 2010 Georgia Cotton Queens; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, cotton has long been recognized as a vital and prosperous crop in the State of

3 Georgia; and

4 WHEREAS, the cotton industry has played a significant role in the economic growth and

5 development of our state; and

6 WHEREAS, the annual Miss Georgia Cotton Scholarship Pageant promotes Georgia cotton

7 through local, state, regional, and national activities and educates Georgia's youth on the

8 importance of cotton as part of this state's economy by providing committed volunteers,

9 leaders, and spokeswomen; and

10 WHEREAS, since its creation eight years ago, the Georgia Cotton Queen Scholarship

11 Pageant has been open to all females, regardless of race, national origin, or disability; and

WHEREAS, the pageant winners for 2010 included Baby Miss Cotton Raeley Luke, Teeny
Miss Cotton Tayler Brown, Tiny Miss Cotton Kylie Barnes, Little Miss Cotton Reilly Grace

14 Bennett, Petite Miss Cotton Emily Grace Cox, Junior Miss Cotton Madison Barber, Teen

15 Miss Cotton Lindsay Dobbs, and Miss Cotton Lauren Arnold; and

16 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that these beautiful, intelligent, and talented winners

17 be recognized by this body.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body

19 commend the 2010 Georgia Cotton Queens for promoting the importance of this agricultural

20 product of Georgia.

- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 22 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to each Georgia Cotton Queen.