Senate Resolution 1343 By: Senator Butler of the 55th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Redan High School; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, located in Stone Mountain, Georgia, Redan High School is graduating 85
percent of its students, placing it among the top 15 high schools in Georgia for graduation
rates; and

5 WHEREAS, Redan High School has been recognized by the Georgia Partnership for 6 Excellence for improving its graduation rate by at least ten percentage points over the last 7 air years, and

7 six years; and

8 WHEREAS, this remarkable school has helped boost this state's overall graduation rate from
9 65 percent in 2004 to 79 percent in 2009; and

WHEREAS, high expectations for students from faculty, staff, and parents have helped the
dedicated students at Redan High School achieve excellence; and

WHEREAS, the teachers, administration, and staff of Redan work diligently and conscientiously to ensure students have access to the training and resources necessary to succeed and foster positive relationships and mutual respect; and

WHEREAS, by creating a safe, respectful, and nurturing learning environment, Redan
enables students to learn with confidence, experience success, and achieve their maximum
potential; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding work of this fine 19 educational institution be appropriately recognized.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
 commend Redan High School on its incredible increase in graduation rate and recognize the

- 22 excellent achievements and contributions of the students and staff in making their school
- 23 superior.
- 24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 25 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Principal Greg Goodwin.