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Senate Resolution 1407

By: Senators James of the 35th and Orrock of the 36th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the Cliftondale Elementary School family and Principal Dr.
- 2 Tony Wilcher; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, located in College Park, Georgia, Cliftondale Elementary School is providing
- 4 students with an environment that is conducive to learning and success; and
- 5 WHEREAS, since its opening in August, 2009, Cliftondale has demonstrated a commitment
- 6 to meeting the needs of the community; and
- 7 WHEREAS, under the leadership and guidance of Principal Dr. Tony Wilcher, Cliftondale's
- 8 administration has worked diligently and conscientiously with parents, community leaders,
- 9 and business partners to establish the school's outstanding foundation; and
- 10 WHEREAS, in its first year, Cliftondale has achieved much success including the
- establishment of a Success PTA, an I MOMS Chapter, an All Pro Dad Chapter, Boy and Girl
- 12 Scouts programs, M & M Mentoring Club, Math Club, Art Club, Good News Club, foreign
- 13 language programs, Junior Beta Club, Safety Patrol, and Student Council; and
- 14 WHEREAS, students at Cliftondale have benefitted from the school's Health Fair,
- 15 Father-Daughter Dance, Mother-Son Royal Gala, an educational forum, a school
- 16 beautification project, and a successful Black History Month Program; and
- 17 WHEREAS, high expectations for students from faculty, staff, and parents have helped the
- 18 dedicated students at Cliftondale Elementary School achieve; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the teachers, administration, and staff of Cliftondale work to ensure students
- 20 have access to the training and resources necessary to succeed and foster positive
- 21 relationships and mutual respect; and

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WHEREAS, by creating a safe, respectful, and nurturing learning environment, Cliftondale

- 23 enables students to learn with confidence, experience success, and achieve their maximum
- 24 potential; and
- 25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding work of this fine
- 26 educational institution be appropriately recognized.
- 27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 28 recognize Cliftondale Elementary School on its successful first year and commend the
- 29 excellent achievements and contributions of the students and staff in making their school
- 30 superior.
- 31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 32 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Cliftondale Elementary School Principal
- 33 Dr. Tony Wilcher.