

## Senate Resolution 587

By: Senators Jackson of the 24th, Hudgens of the 47th, Goggans of the 7th, Unterman of the 45th and Murphy of the 27th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Mrs. Alana Burke; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Alana Burke has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the  
3 vital role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the welfare  
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,  
6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state as evidenced by her  
7 more than 16 years of superlative service as Executive Director for the Lincoln County  
8 Development Authority and Chamber of Commerce and her 15 years with the Classic South  
9 Travel Association Board of Directors; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Burke makes vital contributions to her fellow citizens and community by  
11 her involvement as a member of the Georgia Economic Development Association, the  
12 Central Savannah River Area Unified Development Authority, and the Clarks Hill  
13 Partnership of Georgia and as a board member for Augusta Technical College, the Columbia  
14 County Convention and Visitors Bureau, and the Foothills Area Health Educational Center;  
15 and
- 16 WHEREAS, her significant organizational and leadership talents, her remarkable patience  
17 and diplomacy, her keen sense of vision, and her sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of  
18 this state have earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Mrs. Burke is united in love and marriage to Bill Burke, and she has been  
20 blessed with two beautiful daughters, one son, and nine delightful grandchildren; and
- 21 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
22 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the

23 outstanding accomplishments of this remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately  
24 recognized.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
26 commend Mrs. Alana Burke for her efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public  
27 service to the State of Georgia.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
29 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Alana Burke.