By: Representatives Dooley of the 38th and Morris of the 155th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Jennifer Beckum Irvin, the 2010 Toombs County High School Teacher of the
- 2 Year and a finalist for the 2010 Georgia Teacher of the Year; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most 4 important objective of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, dedication and diligence by committed teachers foster excellence in education; 6 and

7 WHEREAS, the annual Teacher of the Year awards are made by local school districts in 8 recognition of teaching excellence; and

- 9 WHEREAS, Jennifer Beckum Irvin has earned distinction and numerous awards for teaching 10 excellence as a result of her dedication to her students and her profession and has been
- 11 honored as the 2010 Toombs County High School Teacher of the Year and a finalist for the
- 12 2010 Georgia Teacher of the Year; and

13 WHEREAS, in recognition of her contributions to the education and welfare of young people 14 in this state, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the extraordinary 15 accomplishments and academic achievements of this outstanding individual.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that 17 the members of this body commend heartily Jennifer Beckum Irvin, the 2010 Toombs 18 County High School Teacher of the Year and a finalist for the 2010 Georgia Teacher of the 19 Year, and express to her their sincerest best wishes for continued success in the future.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jennifer Beckum Irvin. 21

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