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Senate Resolution 815

By: Senators Seay of the 34th, Orrock of the 36th, Butler of the 55th, Tate of the 38th, Sims of the 12th and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Dr. Nanette K. Wenger; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, a graduate of Hunter College and the Harvard Medical School, Dr. Nanette K.
- 3 Wenger is Professor of Medicine in the Division of Cardiology at Emory University's School
- 4 of Medicine; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Dr. Wenger serves as Chief of Cardiology at Grady Memorial Hospital and a
- 6 consultant to the Emory Heart and Vascular Center; and
- 7 WHEREAS, her leadership and guidance were instrumental as past vice-president of the
- 8 American Heart Association, past governor for Georgia of the American College of
- 9 Cardiology, and past president of the Georgia Heart Association; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Dr. Wenger is a Fellow of the American Heart Association, the American
- 11 College of Cardiology, the Society of Geriatric Cardiology, the American Association of
- 12 Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation, and the American College of Chest
- 13 Physicians; and
- 14 WHEREAS, she is an active member of committees, scientific advisory boards, task forces,
- and councils of the American Medical Association, the American College of Cardiology, the
- 16 American Heart Association, the Society of Geriatric Cardiology, and the National Heart,
- 17 Lung, and Blood Institute; and
- 18 WHEREAS, her skill and commitment to the field of medicine have been recognized by the
- 19 American Heart Association with awards such as the Distinguished Achievement Award, the
- Women in Cardiology Mentoring Award, and the Gold Heart Award; and

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21 WHEREAS, Dr. Wenger received the James E. Bruce Memorial Award from the American

- 22 College of Physicians for distinguished contributions in preventative medicine and was
- 23 named Physician of the Year by the American Heart Association; and
- 24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 25 remarkable and distinguished physician be appropriately recognized.
- 26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 27 commend Dr. Nanette K. Wenger for her many contributions to the field of medicine.
- 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 Dr. Nanette K. Wenger.