

Senate Resolution 833

By: Senators Pearson of the 51st and Douglas of the 17th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing January 28, 2010, as North Georgia College and State University Day at the
2 state capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, North Georgia College and State University was founded in 1873, and stands
4 as this state's second oldest public institution of higher education; and

5 WHEREAS, designated by state legislation as the Military College of Georgia, North
6 Georgia College and State University is also recognized by the University System of Georgia
7 Board of Regents as a state leadership institution for civilian and military students; and

8 WHEREAS, located in Dahlonega, Georgia, North Georgia College and State University is
9 one of only six senior military colleges in the nation, standing proudly with the ranks of the
10 Citadel, Norwich University, Texas A&M University, Virginia Military Institute, and
11 Virginia Tech; and

12 WHEREAS, the university's Corps of Cadets has a long tradition of excellence, and in 2009,
13 North Georgia College and State University was the top-performing senior military college
14 participating in the U.S. Army's Leadership Development Assessment Course; and

15 WHEREAS, on January 28, 2010, students, alumni, and faculty of North Georgia College
16 and State University will gather at the capitol to celebrate this university's rich history and
17 tradition, which will culminate with a performance from the North Georgia College and State
18 University Golden Eagle Band.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
20 recognize and observe January 28, 2010, as North Georgia College and State University Day
21 at the state capitol.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
23 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to North Georgia College and State
24 University.