

Senate Resolution 834

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

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Cadet COL Ashlie Shrewsbury; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Cadet COL Ashlie Shrewsbury attends North Georgia College and State  
3 University on a Georgia Military Scholarship, where she is majoring in Spanish and minoring  
4 in leadership; and

5 WHEREAS, Cadet COL Shrewsbury was selected as the 2009-2010 Brigade Commander,  
6 leading a Corps of Cadets of 700 students, becoming the first female brigade commander in  
7 the university's 136-year history; and

8 WHEREAS, after she completed basic training, Cadet COL Shrewsbury became proficient  
9 in the Russian language while attending the Defense Language Institute and later qualified  
10 to serve as a military interrogator and linguist at Advanced Individual Training at Fort  
11 Huachuca, Arizona; and

12 WHEREAS, a native of Cartersville, Georgia, Cadet COL Shrewsbury has studied abroad  
13 on three occasions in order to advance her language skills, taking courses in Germany at the  
14 People's Language Training Center, which is the U.S. Government's premier foreign  
15 language institute; and

16 WHEREAS, she exceeded the U.S. Army's standard and finished in the top two percent of  
17 her regiment at the Army's Leadership Development Assessment Course and upon her  
18 graduation from North Georgia College and State University in 2010, she will commission  
19 with the Military Intelligence Branch of the Georgia Army National Guard; and

20 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia is honored to have such a motivated and hard-working  
21 individual as one of its citizens.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
23 recognize Cadet COL Ashlie Shrewsbury for her outstanding achievements and extend best  
24 wishes for her future endeavors.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
26 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Cadet COL Ashlie Shrewsbury.