

Senate Resolution 287

By: Senators Butterworth of the 50th and Goggans of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Gerald Jonah of South
2 Georgia College on Academic Recognition Day for 2011; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Georgia's educational system is dedicated to the goal of providing a quality
4 education to all and fostering the realization of each person's fullest potential; and

5 WHEREAS, the 35 institutions of the University System of Georgia are valuable resources
6 for the people of this state, enhancing the intellectual, economic, social, civic, and cultural
7 well-being of the communities in which they are located and the entire state; and

8 WHEREAS, Academic Recognition Day was begun in 1987 as a celebration of individual
9 academic achievement and recognition of those students who exemplify that which is best
10 about the University System of Georgia and its institutions: inspired and dedicated teaching
11 and excellence in learning; and

12 WHEREAS, Gerald Jonah, a scholar from South Georgia College, represents excellence in
13 academic achievement and personal development.

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that University System of
15 Georgia Outstanding Scholar Gerald Jonah is commended for superb achievements in
16 education and for being selected as a representative of South Georgia College on the
17 occasion of Academic Recognition Day for 2011.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
19 to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Honorable Erroll B. Davis, Jr., Chancellor,
20 University System of Georgia; Willis J. Potts, Jr., Chairman, Board of Regents of the
21 University System of Georgia; and Gerald Jonah.