

Senate Resolution 340

By: Senator Hill of the 4th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Ms. Y'lonne R. Hodges; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Ms. Y'lonne R. Hodges has been honored by the First District of the Georgia
3 Funeral Service Practitioners Association, Inc., as the Mortician of the Year; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Ms. Hodges is the director of the funeral service program and an instructor at
5 Ogeechee Technical College and serves as manager of the Hodges Funeral Home; and
- 6 WHEREAS, she earned an associate's degree in funeral service from Gupton Jones College
7 of Funeral Services, a bachelor's degree in business administration from Tennessee State
8 University, and a master's degree in health service administration from Georgia Southern
9 University; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ms. Hodges holds professional licenses as a nursing home administrator,
11 funeral director, and embalmer; and
- 12 WHEREAS, she is a member of the Georgia Funeral Service Practitioners Association,
13 where she has served as director of the education and research division and vice chairperson
14 of the First District; and
- 15 WHEREAS, a resident of Candler County, Ms. Hodges has exhibited extraordinary devotion
16 to duty, outstanding service, remarkable patience and diplomacy, and sensitivity to the needs
17 of family members who have lost a loved one which have earned her the respect and
18 admiration of her colleagues and associates; and
- 19 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
20 this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
22 commend Ms. Y'lonne R. Hodges for her outstanding service to the State of Georgia and
23 congratulate her upon being selected as Mortician of the Year.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
25 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Y'lonne R. Hodges.