

## Senate Resolution 388

By: Senators Crosby of the 13th, Bulloch of the 11th, Sims of the 12th, Hooks of the 14th and Golden of the 8th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the 2011 Georgia Cotton Queens; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, cotton has long been recognized as a vital and prosperous crop in the State of  
3 Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the cotton industry has played a significant role in the economic growth and  
5 development of our state; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the annual Miss Georgia Cotton Scholarship Pageant promotes Georgia cotton  
7 through local, state, regional, and national activities and educates Georgia's youth on the  
8 importance of cotton as part of this state's economy by providing committed volunteers,  
9 leaders, and spokeswomen; and
- 10 WHEREAS, since its creation eight years ago, the Georgia Cotton Queen Scholarship  
11 Pageant has been open to all females, regardless of race, national origin, or disability; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the pageant winners for 2011 included Carlee Phillips, Oliviah Rosales,  
13 Cadence Allen, Kaleigh Montgomery, Joleigh Dixon, Sarah Hughes, Marlee Mathis, and  
14 Kaley Jackson; and
- 15 WHEREAS, it is only fitting and proper that these beautiful, intelligent, and talented winners  
16 be recognized by this body.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
18 commend the 2011 Georgia Cotton Queens for promoting the importance of this agricultural  
19 product of Georgia.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to each Georgia Cotton Queen.