

Senate Resolution 426

By: Senators Brown of the 26th and Mullis of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing Mr. Keith Sweat; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mr. Keith Sweat is a talented songwriter, record producer, vocalist, actor, and
3 radio personality whose career spans 24 years; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mr. Sweat is a trailblazer with contributions to the pop and R&B music genres
5 which have changed and shaped the music landscape over the past three decades; and
- 6 WHEREAS, his debut album, *Make It Last Forever*, sold more than three million copies and
7 produced four hit R&B singles that topped the R&B and pop contemporary charts; and
- 8 WHEREAS, a native of Harlem, New York, Mr. Sweat has delivered five straight number
9 one albums and a dozen top ten singles, sold more than 25 million records worldwide, and
10 earned quadruple platinum status with his self-titled album from 1996; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mr. Sweat has been recognized with numerous honors and accolades, most
12 notably his induction into the Georgia Music Hall of Fame in 2008; and
- 13 WHEREAS, he has thrived as one of Atlanta's first record industry moguls, building his own
14 recording studio and discovering new artists for his record label, Keia; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he served as creator and executive producer of the celebrated reality show,
16 *Keith Sweat's Platinum House*, which ranked number one on the Centric network; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Mr. Sweat hosts a nationally syndicated number one nighttime radio show
18 called *The Sweat Hotel*, a live call-in show for callers to exchange matters of the heart with
19 Mr. Sweat and that boasts three million listeners; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
21 this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
23 commend Mr. Keith Sweat on his amazing music career.

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 Mr. Keith Sweat.