

House Resolution 613

By: Representatives Williams of the 165th, Stephens of the 164th, Dutton of the 166th, Talton of the 145th, and Hugley of the 133rd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mrs. Alberta Cummings; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Alberta Cummings was born on April 26, 1912, in Richmond Hill,
3 Georgia, the beloved daughter of Eddie and Ella Shuman Shipman, and this year she enjoys
4 the rare distinction of celebrating her 99th birthday; and

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Cummings has been blessed with a remarkable daughter, Lagirtha Jones,
6 and 13 grandchildren, the late Freddie Jones, the late Sinclair Jones, the late Cathedia Rose
7 Jones, the late Alberta Bass Jones, the late Johnnie Lee Jones, Hector Jones, Deborah
8 Simmons Jones, Eric Jones, Anita Cardenas Jones, Pamela Thomas Jones, Robert Dwight
9 Jones, Cassandra Ramos Jones, and Charlotte Jones; and

10 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
11 the foundation and framework of success in which her family members have developed and
12 flourished; and

13 WHEREAS, an elegant beautician, Mrs. Cummings enjoys cooking and arranging flowers;
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15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Cummings possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through
16 experience and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many
17 challenges of life; and

18 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
19 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

20 WHEREAS, a kind and generous woman, Mrs. Cummings brings joy and happiness to her
21 many friends, neighbors, and family members who have the great pleasure of knowing her;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, by the example Mrs. Cummings has made of her life, she makes this world a
24 better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she be appropriately
25 recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
27 the members of this body commend Mrs. Alberta Cummings for her loving and dedicated
28 service to the members of her family and the citizens of her community, congratulate her
29 upon the grand occasion of her 99th birthday, and extend to her best wishes for continued
30 health and happiness.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Alberta Cummings.