

Senate Resolution 463

By: Senators Tippins of the 37th, Rogers of the 21st, Hill of the 32nd, Thompson of the 33rd and Stoner of the 6th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Jason Johnston, Allatoona High School's 2011 STAR Student; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most
4 important objective of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, Jason Johnston has shown by the example of his academic accomplishments
6 that the pursuit and attainment of scholastic success are within the reach of the students in
7 this state; and

8 WHEREAS, this remarkable scholar has earned distinction through his superlative
9 achievements at Allatoona High School where he is a gifted student and has been selected
10 as Allatoona High School's 2011 STAR Student; and

11 WHEREAS, to be selected as a STAR Student for a high school, a student must have
12 obtained the highest score in one administration of the new three-part Scholastic Aptitude
13 Test and be in the top 10 percent or top ten students of his or her class; and

14 WHEREAS, each school has one STAR Student who in turn has the opportunity to choose
15 a STAR Teacher that has inspired and encouraged them throughout their high school career;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Jason chose as his STAR teacher Allatoona High School educator Coach Bill
18 Perry, who provided support and guidance throughout the years and encouraged Jason to
19 achieve his utmost potential; and

20 WHEREAS, Jason has personified the selfless dedication, mental agility, verbal adroitness,
21 and personal maturity necessary for superlative academic performance; and

22 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation toward the future of this
23 bright and promising young citizen.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
25 heartily commend Jason Johnston's spectacular scholastic endeavors, recognize him for being
26 named Allatoona High School's STAR Student for 2011, and express their most sincere best
27 wishes for continued academic success in the future.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
29 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jason Johnston.