

House Resolution 752

By: Representatives Purcell of the 159th and Burns of the 157th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Christina Hillman, Effingham High School's 2011 STAR Student; and for
2 other 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, Christina Hillman has shown by the example of her 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 her superlative
9 achievements at Effingham High School where she is a gifted student and has been selected
10 as Effingham High School's 2011 STAR Student and the STAR Student for the Effingham
11 County School System; and

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

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

18 WHEREAS, Christina chose as her STAR teacher Effingham Career Academy educator Ms.
19 Kim Larson, who provided support and guidance throughout the years and encouraged
20 Christina to achieve her utmost potential; and

21 WHEREAS, Christina is the state president for Skills USA, and in 2009, she placed first in
22 Georgia's Skills USA competition for graphic design and eighth in the nation; and

23 WHEREAS, the beloved daughter of Linda and Russell Hillman, Christina plans to attend
24 Savannah College of Art and Design upon her graduation; and

25 WHEREAS, Christina has personified the selfless dedication, mental agility, verbal
26 adroitness, and personal maturity necessary for superlative academic performance; and

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

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
30 the members of this body heartily commend Christina Hillman's spectacular scholastic
31 endeavors, recognize her for being named Effingham High School's STAR Student for 2011,
32 and express their most sincere best wishes for continued academic success in the future.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
34 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Christina Hillman.