

House Resolution 990

By: Representatives Ashe of the 56th, Abrams of the 84th, Morgan of the 39th, Coleman of the 97th, Brooks of the 63rd, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Elliott Camera for being selected as a 2011 W.E.B. Du Bois Scholar; and for
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the W.E.B. Du Bois Society has established the W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars
4 program to celebrate and promote outstanding academic accomplishment and to inspire
5 African American students to aim high no matter their circumstances; and

6 WHEREAS, the W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars program annually recognizes and honors some
7 of the state's most distinguished African American graduating high school seniors; and

8 WHEREAS, the W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars program represents excellence in education and
9 the promise of greatness in young people; and

10 WHEREAS, W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars are afforded the opportunity to exchange ideas with
11 similarly motivated and accomplished peers and to forge friendships that last a lifetime; and

12 WHEREAS, W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars are provided opportunities to search for solutions for
13 those issues that concern the African American community, America, and the world and to
14 attend recitals, receptions, and ceremonies held in their honor; and

15 WHEREAS, the Commission on W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars has selected Elliott Camera of
16 Pike County High School to recognize for his service as a volunteer for the Pike County Arts
17 Council; and

18 WHEREAS, the great State of Georgia is a champion of academic achievement for all of its
19 students, and it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to recognize with particularity
20 the outstanding accomplishments of this extraordinary individual.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 Elliott Camera is commended for her superb achievements and congratulated upon his
23 selection as a W.E.B. Du Bois Scholar.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Elliott Camera.