

Senate Resolution 650

By: Senators Tate of the 38th, Carter of the 42nd, Jones of the 10th, James of the 35th and Orrock of the 36th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Honorable Catherine E. Malicki on the occasion of her
2 retirement; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Catherine E. Malicki has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable
4 hours of her time, talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state as
5 evidenced dramatically by her superlative service during more than 30 years with the City
6 of Atlanta Municipal Court; and

7 WHEREAS, Judge Malicki has been an honest and dedicated public servant who strives for
8 excellence in all her endeavors and whose primary concern has been the fair and impartial
9 administration of justice; and

10 WHEREAS, Judge Malicki graduated from the Georgia State University in 1973 with a
11 Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology and later attended Emory University's School of Law
12 where she earned a Juris Doctorate degree in 1976; and

13 WHEREAS, she became an assistant solicitor at Atlanta Municipal Court in 1977, was
14 appointed to be the director of the Bureau of Buildings for the City of Atlanta in 1979, and
15 returned to the Atlanta Municipal Court in 1982, where she was appointed as City Solicitor
16 and then as Judge; and

17 WHEREAS, her colleagues know her as a clear thinker and hard worker, as a woman whose
18 strong convictions are supported by meticulous research and careful consideration, and as
19 an equitable, impartial leader whose decisions were governed by the rules of honesty and fair
20 play; and

21 WHEREAS, Judge Malicki is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable
22 reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and the State of Georgia is
23 honored to have such a motivated and hard working individual as one of its citizens.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that members of this body
25 recognize Judge Catherine E. Malicki for her outstanding judicial career and commend her
26 for her years of service to the State of Georgia and the citizens of the City of Atlanta.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
28 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Judge Catherine E. Malicki.