

Senate Resolution 1152

By: Senators Hill of the 4th, Miller of the 49th, Jackson of the 24th, Hooks of the 14th and
Chance of the 16th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Ms. Lorette A. Sibilly on the grand occasion of her
2 retirement; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Ms. Lorette A. Sibilly has been a dedicated public servant for the citizens of
4 Georgia for more than 30 years and has been committed to upholding the highest standards
5 of her position; and

6 WHEREAS, with a primary concern to produce an impeccable work product of the highest
7 quality, Ms. Sibilly emulates the best qualities of a state budgeting professional, including
8 being fact driven, analytically thorough, and a trusted colleague and advocating for fiscal
9 integrity; and

10 WHEREAS, she has shown a level of budgetary knowledge and analytical skills that have
11 been recognized by six governors and their agency heads; and

12 WHEREAS, Ms. Sibilly has exhibited extraordinary devotion to the requirements of her
13 varied positions and meticulous attention to detail in all her actions throughout her career of
14 public service, including as a new analyst for the Office of Planning and Budget (OPB),
15 coordinator for the General Government Division of OPB, and director for Budget Support
16 Services; and

17 WHEREAS, over the course of her career with the Office of Planning and Budget she has
18 devoted thousands of unpaid overtime hours, including weekends and holidays; and

19 WHEREAS, as director for Budget Support Services, Ms. Sibilly has overseen a fundamental
20 transition of the budget development and reporting process and has been a key player in
21 OPB's modernization of the system that allows for data entry and analysis in a cohesive
22 budget system; and

23 WHEREAS, her deep historical knowledge of state government and budgetary, statutory, and
24 constitutional requirements has helped to provide an objective context in which budget
25 information can be reviewed and analyzed; and

26 WHEREAS, as a member of the Office of Planning and Budget Executive Office, Ms. Sibilly
27 has worked closely with the agency director in setting timelines and guidelines for the budget
28 development process, ensuring that the automated budget system functions properly and
29 never hesitating to offer support and encouragement to co-workers; and

30 WHEREAS, her organization skills, dedication to detail, remarkable patience, and
31 continuous sensitivity to the needs of divergent interests have earned her the respect and
32 admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

33 WHEREAS, her integrity and reliability has earned her great trust over the years and her
34 unyielding commitment will be sorely missed upon the occasion of her retirement; and

35 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding level of dedication of this
36 remarkable Georgian be appropriately recognized.

37 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
38 commend Ms. Lorette A. Sibilly for her efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public
39 service to the State of Georgia, congratulate her upon the grand occasion of her retirement,
40 and extend to her their most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

41 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
42 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ms. Lorette A. Sibilly.