

House Resolution 1800

By: Representative Waites of the 60th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Vincent B. Watkins J.D.; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, 31 years ago Mr. Vincent B. Watkins J.D. founded The Watkins Group
3 Incorporated, a political strategist firm that addresses the business of politics and the politics
4 of business; and

5 WHEREAS, The Watkins Group is respected for its professionalism and competent delivery
6 of services, including political strategy, business development and enhancement, video
7 production, audio production, website design, and phenomenal print development; and

8 WHEREAS, he has three decades of experience in political, education, and corporate arenas
9 and extensive experience in the development and implementation of grassroots
10 community-based campaigns that target difficult to access populations; and

11 WHEREAS, his success is directly related to his ability to empower others to access
12 previously untapped opportunities by using a language to which the target audience will
13 respond positively; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Watkins has presented to more than 100 organizations that range in
15 diversity from homeless shelters to governmental oversight committees; and

16 WHEREAS, he has written articles and manuals and is currently completing several books
17 along with a CD and an instructional manual on how to be a winner; and

18 WHEREAS, Mr. Watkins has worked on numerous campaigns, including presidents, United
19 States senators, congressmen, judges, Fortune 500 companies, state departments of
20 education, and other federal and local candidates, agencies, and private individuals; and

21 WHEREAS, he is described as the difference between success and failure, and it is
22 abundantly fitting that the accomplishments of this distinguished Georgian be appropriately
23 recognized.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body commend Mr. Vincent B. Watkins J.D. for his contributions as a
26 public speaker, writer, educator, producer, and entrepreneur and recognize the success of The
27 Watkins Group.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Vincent B. Watkins J.D.