

Senate Resolution 1295

By: Senators Davenport of the 44th, Tate of the 38th, Seay of the 34th, James of the 35th, Fort of the 39th and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Mrs. Sally Rebecca Wentz on the occasion of her retirement;
- 2 and for other purposes.

- 3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sally Rebecca Wentz has long been recognized by the citizens of this state
- 4 for the vital role that she has played in the teaching profession and her deep personal
- 5 commitment to the education of the students of Georgia; and

- 6 WHEREAS, she started volunteering at East Clayton Elementary School where her children
- 7 attended in 1983, later became a first grade paraprofessional teacher, and in 1991 was transferred to
- 8 Kilpatrick Elementary School; and

- 9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Wentz has been united in love and marriage to her husband, Henry, for 43
- 10 years, and together, they have been blessed with three remarkable children, Brian, Todd, and
- 11 Amy, and six wonderful grandchildren, Emma, Isabel, Jackson, Brice, Emilie, and Owen;
- 12 and

- 13 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Mrs. Wentz is an active member of
- 14 Pinecrest Baptist Church; and

- 15 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young
- 16 people, and Mrs. Wentz has, during her career in education, exemplified the selfless
- 17 dedication and professionalism which are characteristic of our finest educators; and

- 18 WHEREAS, in recognition of her contributions to the students in this state, it is abundantly
- 19 fitting and proper for this body to honor the extraordinary commitment and accomplishments
- 20 of this outstanding individual.

- 21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 22 commend Mrs. Sally Rebecca Wentz for her sacrifice, foresight, accomplishments, and

23 contributions on behalf of education in Georgia, recognize the positive influence she has had
24 upon the lives and futures of countless young people in this state, and congratulate her upon
25 the grand occasion of her retirement.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
27 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Sally Rebecca Wentz.