

House Resolution 2191

By: Representatives Smith of the 168th and Sims of the 169th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. David Brake; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mr. David Brake has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, a graduate of Waycross High School, Mr. Brake earned a bachelor's degree in
6 biology from Mercer University; and

7 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
8 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
9 dramatically by his superlative service in the field of public health since December 3, 1979;
10 and

11 WHEREAS, his experience includes work with the Wayne County Board of Health, the
12 Appling County Board of Health, and the Injury Prevention Program, and as a registered
13 environmental health specialist; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Brake's leadership and guidance have been instrumental to the Georgia
15 Environmental Health Association as president from 1990 to 1992; and

16 WHEREAS, his environmental health accomplishments include over 4,500 food service
17 inspections; nearly 3,000 septic system inspections; over 1,200 complaint investigations;
18 over 300 animal bite investigations; and over 2,500 water sample collections; and

19 WHEREAS, Mr. Brake's significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable
20 patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the
21 citizens of this state have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and
22 associates; and

23 WHEREAS, Mr. Brake has served with honor and distinction in the field of public health and
24 his vision and unyielding commitment have set the standard for public service; and

25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
26 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body commend Mr. David Brake for his efficient, effective, unselfish,
29 and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend to him their most sincere best
30 wishes for continued health and happiness.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. David Brake.