

## Senate Resolution 118

By: Senators Seay of the 34th, Chance of the 16th, James of the 35th, Sims of the 12th and Jones of the 10th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending The Lite House, Inc., for its significant contributions to the  
2 community; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, The Lite House, Inc., a nonprofit organization located in Fayetteville, Georgia,  
4 is a unique, free of charge, recreational and educational after school program that strives to  
5 provide safe and supportive activities for underprivileged, at-risk youth five to 18 years of  
6 age; and

7 WHEREAS, through the establishment of community enrichment centers, The Lite House,  
8 Inc., adds to the quality of life for all community members by providing academic support  
9 services and extracurricular activities; and

10 WHEREAS, the core of this program's great success and impact is its academic foundation,  
11 but The Lite House, Inc., also works to foster positive self-esteem and greater cultural  
12 awareness; and

13 WHEREAS, under the guidance of executive director Melvin Morris, this program will be  
14 able to provide critically needed services to more than 2,500 underprivileged, at-risk children  
15 this year alone; and

16 WHEREAS, the goals of The Lite House, Inc., are to establish programs that generate  
17 qualitative and quantitative results, to brand The Lite House, Inc., as the quintessential  
18 community service program, to create a flagship reading program for elementary, middle,  
19 and high school children, to integrate technology, sports, arts, media, and civic education for  
20 youth in an after school setting, to increase parental involvement in the lives of children, and  
21 to create partnerships with schools, businesses, and organizations; and

22 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this exceptional program be recognized  
23 for its nurturing and inspirational environment dedicated to helping each child realize his or  
24 her potential.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
26 commend The Lite House, Inc., for its contributions to the community and extend to the  
27 program their best wishes for future success.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
29 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to The Lite House, Inc.