

House Resolution 263

By: Representatives Rogers of the 29th, Casas of the 107th, Ehrhart of the 36th, Dempsey of the 13th, Carter of the 175th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Sarah A. Rooks of
2 Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College on Academic Recognition Day for 2013; and for
3 other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Georgia's educational system is dedicated to the goal of providing a quality
5 education to all and fostering the realization of each person's fullest potential; and

6 WHEREAS, the 35 institutions of the University System of Georgia are valuable resources
7 for the people of this state, enhancing the intellectual, economic, social, civic, and cultural
8 well-being of the communities in which they are located and the entire state; and

9 WHEREAS, Academic Recognition Day was begun in 1987 as a celebration of individual
10 academic achievement and recognition of those students who exemplify that which is best
11 about the University System of Georgia and its institutions: inspired and dedicated teaching
12 and excellence in learning; and

13 WHEREAS, Sarah A. Rooks, a scholar from Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College,
14 represents excellence in academic achievement and personal development.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Sarah A. Rooks is commended for superb
17 achievements in education and for being selected as a representative of Abraham Baldwin
18 Agricultural College on the occasion of Academic Recognition Day for 2013.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Honorable Hank M.
21 Huckaby, Chancellor, University System of Georgia; Benjamin J. Tarbutton III, Chairman,
22 Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia; and Sarah A. Rooks.