

Senate Resolution 211

By: Senator James of the 35th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. Louis Miller and the employees of Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta  
2 International Airport and recognizing February 12, 2013, as Aviation Day at the state capitol;  
3 and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport is the world's busiest airport,  
5 with nearly 90 million passengers annually; and

6 WHEREAS, the airport strives to be a global leader in airport efficiency and customer  
7 service excellence; and

8 WHEREAS, Atlanta's bustling airport would not run as smoothly if not for the hard work and  
9 dedication of every employee; and

10 WHEREAS, in 2010, Atlanta Mayor Kasim Reed appointed Mr. Louis Miller, an airport  
11 management official with more than 30 years of experience in the airport industry, as the new  
12 general manager of Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Miller came to Atlanta after 14 years as executive director and CEO of  
14 Tampa International Airport as well as experience working with Atlanta based Delta and  
15 Airtran, which has an Atlanta hub; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Miller's tasks as general manager include maintaining the city's relationship  
17 with Delta, the airport's largest tenant and one of Atlanta's biggest businesses, while forging  
18 new relationships with other carriers and boosting the airport's ability to handle cargo traffic,  
19 a key sector of the transportation industry that helps spur development, create jobs, and  
20 generate additional revenue for the airport and the city; and

21 WHEREAS, in the spring of 2012, Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport unveiled  
22 the new Maynard H. Jackson, Jr., International Terminal, a new facility and concourse that

23 connects with Concourse E to create a 40 gate international air travel gateway for Atlanta;  
24 and

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

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
28 commend the Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport employees and Aviation  
29 General Manager Mr. Louis Miller for their efficient, effective, and dedicated service to the  
30 State of Georgia; recognize February 12, 2013, as Aviation Day at the state capitol; and  
31 extend to Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport their most sincere best wishes for  
32 continued growth and success.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
34 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International  
35 Airport.