

## House Resolution 1024

By: Representatives Dempsey of the 13<sup>th</sup>, Coomer of the 14<sup>th</sup>, and Lumsden of the 12<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Bennett Prater Garland, Armuchee High School's and the Floyd County School  
2 System's 2013 STAR Student; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a proper quality education for the young people of this state is the single most  
4 important objective of the General Assembly; and

5 WHEREAS, Bennett Prater Garland has shown by academic accomplishment that the pursuit  
6 and attainment of scholastic success are within the reach of the students in this state; and

7 WHEREAS, a gifted student at Armuchee High School in the Floyd County School System,  
8 this remarkable scholar has been recognized for superlative achievement and selected as  
9 Armuchee High School's and the Floyd County School System's 2013 STAR Student; and

10 WHEREAS, to be selected as a STAR Student for a high school, a student must have  
11 obtained the highest score in one administration of the three-part Scholastic Aptitude Test  
12 and be in the top 10 percent or top ten students of his or her class; and

13 WHEREAS, each school has one STAR Student who in turn has the opportunity to choose  
14 a STAR Teacher who has been inspiring and encouraging throughout that student's high  
15 school career; and

16 WHEREAS, educator Emily Mowery was chosen by Bennett as Armuchee High School's  
17 and the Floyd County School System's 2013 STAR Teacher for the great support and  
18 guidance provided to Bennett throughout the years; and

19 WHEREAS, Bennett has personified the selfless dedication, mental agility, verbal adroitness,  
20 and personal maturity necessary for superlative academic performance; and

21 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia looks with great anticipation toward the future of this  
22 bright and promising young citizen.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
24 the members of this body heartily recognize Bennett Prater Garland for being named  
25 Armuchee High School's and the Floyd County School System's 2013 STAR Student and  
26 express their most sincere best wishes for continued academic success.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Bennett Prater Garland.  
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