

House Resolution 1234

By: Representative Pruett of the 149th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Zesta Yancey Hilliard and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Zesta Yancey Hilliard was born on January 27, 1914, in Dodge County,
3 Georgia, and this year she enjoys the rare distinction of celebrating her 100th birthday; and

4 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
5 the foundation and framework of success in which her family members have developed and
6 flourished; and

7 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
8 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Hilliard possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through experience
10 and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many challenges of
11 life; and

12 WHEREAS, a kind and generous woman, she brings joy and happiness to her many friends,
13 neighbors, and family members who have the great pleasure of knowing her; and

14 WHEREAS, Mrs. Hilliard has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of
15 her lifetime, and we salute her contribution to its progress by her own hard work and good
16 citizenship; and

17 WHEREAS, by the example she has made of her life, Zesta Yancey Hilliard makes this
18 world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she be appropriately
19 recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of his body commend Zesta Yancey Hilliard for her unselfish, dedicated, and

22 loving service to the members of her family and the citizens of her community and state;
23 congratulate her on the remarkable occasion of her 100th birthday; and extend the most
24 sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Zesta Yancey Hilliard.