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Senate Resolution 860

By: Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Golden of the 8th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar David C. Ellinburg of
- 2 Valdosta State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Georgia's educational system is dedicated to the goal of providing a quality
- 4 education to all and fostering the realization of each person's fullest potential; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the 31 institutions of the University System of Georgia are valuable resources
- 6 for the people of this state, enhancing the intellectual, economic, social, civic, and cultural
- 7 well-being of the communities in which they are located and the entire state; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Academic Recognition Day was begun in 1987 as a celebration of individual
- 9 academic achievement and recognition of those students who exemplify that which is best
- 10 about the University System of Georgia and its institutions: inspired and dedicated teaching
- and excellence in learning; and
- 12 WHEREAS, David C. Ellinburg, a scholar from Valdosta State University, represents
- 13 excellence in academic achievement and personal development.
- 14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that University System of
- 15 Georgia Outstanding Scholar David C. Ellinburg is commended for superb achievements in
- 16 education and for being selected as a representative of Valdosta State University on the
- 17 occasion of Academic Recognition Day for 2014.
- 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 19 to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Honorable Hank M. Huckaby, Chancellor,
- 20 University System of Georgia; Philip A. Wilheit, Chairman, Board of Regents of the
- 21 University System of Georgia; and David C. Ellinburg.