

House Resolution 1296

By: Representative Battles of the 15th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Benjamin Blackwell Popham; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Benjamin Blackwell Popham has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most
3 distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and

4 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a
5 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques
6 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and

7 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and
8 Benjamin has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special
9 skills taught through the Boy Scout program; and

10 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man is a member of Troop 15 and has demonstrated
11 great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America
12 program; and

13 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Benjamin has truly exhibited a commitment to the
14 scouting principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a
15 manner becoming an Eagle Scout; and

16 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader
17 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body commend Benjamin Blackwell Popham for his diligence and
20 dedication in pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and
21 congratulate him on attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
23 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Benjamin Blackwell
24 Popham.