

House Resolution 1444

By: Representatives Rogers of the 29th, Williams of the 119th, Parrish of the 158th, Kelley of the 16th, and Bryant of the 162nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Thomas Smith Reams of
2 Armstrong Atlantic State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other
3 purposes.

4 WHEREAS, Georgia's educational system is dedicated to the goal of providing a quality
5 education to all and fostering the realization of each person's fullest potential; and

6 WHEREAS, the 31 institutions of the University System of Georgia are valuable resources
7 for the people of this state, enhancing the intellectual, economic, social, civic, and cultural
8 well-being of the communities in which they are located and the entire state; and

9 WHEREAS, Academic Recognition Day was begun in 1987 as a celebration of individual
10 academic achievement and recognition of those students who exemplify that which is best
11 about the University System of Georgia and its institutions: inspired and dedicated teaching
12 and excellence in learning; and

13 WHEREAS, Thomas Smith Reams, a scholar from Armstrong Atlantic State University,
14 represents excellence in academic achievement and personal development.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Thomas Smith Reams is commended for
17 superb achievements in education and for being selected as a representative of Armstrong
18 Atlantic State University on the occasion of Academic Recognition Day for 2014.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Honorable Hank M.
21 Huckaby, Chancellor, University System of Georgia; Philip A. Wilheit, Chairman, Board of
22 Regents of the University System of Georgia; and Thomas Smith Reams.