A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Tuesday, February 24, 2015, as Math Day at the capitol; and for other purposes.

- 2 WHEREAS, the Georgia Council of Teachers of Mathematics (GCTM) is an affiliate of the
- 3 National Council of Teachers of Mathematics and is composed of classroom teachers from
- 4 preschool to graduate school in addition to nonteachers who share an interest in mathematics
- 5 education in the State of Georgia; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the mission of GCTM is to promote a high quality mathematics education for
- 7 all students, encourage an active interest in mathematics and mathematics education, promote
- 8 ongoing professional development for mathematics education, and reward excellence in the
- 9 teaching of mathematics in the State of Georgia; and
- 10 WHEREAS, one of the fundamental objectives of GCTM is to act as an advocate for the
- 11 improvement of mathematics education at all levels in Georgia; and
- 12 WHEREAS, as part of this mission, GCTM hopes that Math Day at the capitol will promote
- 13 the importance of mathematics education in Georgia and highlight the connection between
- 14 mathematically literate citizens and economic development.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body recognize Tuesday, February 24, 2015, as Math Day at the capitol in order to increase awareness about the importance of mathematics education for the future of the State of Georgia.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Georgia
Council of Teachers of Mathematics.