

Senate Resolution 456

By: Senators James of the 35th, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Rhett of the 33rd, Butler of the 55th and Orrock of the 36th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Olorogun O'tega Emerhor, Chief Executive Officer of the  
2 Standard Alliance Group; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Olorogun O'tega Emerhor has long been recognized by the citizens of this  
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to  
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,  
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced  
8 dramatically by his superlative service with the Standard Alliance Group; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Emerhor was born November 25, 1957, in Evwreni, Ughelli North Local  
10 Government Area of Delta State; he is a fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants, a  
11 banker, an insurance guru, a tested turnaround expert, and a manager of men and resources;  
12 and

13 WHEREAS, he had his early education at Ewu Grammar School, Ewu in Delta State  
14 between 1975 and 1979; he studied accountancy at the University of Nigeria, Nsukka, where  
15 he graduated with a first class honors degree in accountancy in 1983; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Emerhor is a Federal Government scholar who qualified as a chartered  
17 accountant in 1986 after training with the prestigious firm, Price Waterhouse Cooper; and

18 WHEREAS, he was the chairman of First Atlantic Bank PLC in 1998, after he led a group  
19 of investors to take over Comet Merchant Bank; he was vice chairman of the bank, which  
20 was later renamed First Inland Bank PLC before he left the board in 2012; and

21 WHEREAS, Mr. Emerhor chairs the Boards of Transcorp Hilton, Abuja; Transcorp  
22 Metropolitan Calabar; Heroes Furniture Group; among others; he is also a director in

23 numerous companies, including Suntrust Oil Limited, and a former vice president of the  
24 Nigerian Chamber of Shipping; and

25 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
26 remarkable and distinguished gentleman be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
28 commend Mr. Olorogun O'tega Emerhor for his outstanding accomplishments as a Chartered  
29 Accountant.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
31 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Mr. Olorogun  
32 O'tega Emerhor.