

House Resolution 688

By: Representatives Anderson of the 92nd, Yates of the 73rd, Beasley-Teague of the 65th,
Smith of the 125th, Prince of the 127th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing United States disabled veterans and dedicating a highway in their honor; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, our nation's security continues to rely on patriotic men and women who put
4 their personal lives on hold in order to place themselves in harm's way to protect the
5 freedoms that all United States citizens cherish; and

6 WHEREAS, United States disabled veterans have demonstrated a deep personal commitment
7 to protecting democracy and a willingness to sacrifice their own personal safety and comfort
8 to ensure the well-being of their fellow man; and

9 WHEREAS, they have served as guardians of this nation's freedom and liberty and have
10 diligently and conscientiously undergone intensive and rigorous training in order to serve
11 their country with honor and distinction during times of war and peace; and

12 WHEREAS, it is important that disabled veterans are thanked for their selfless service to this
13 nation and honored for their unyielding commitment to protecting the people and ideals of
14 the United States; and

15 WHEREAS, disabled veterans embody the spirit of service, willing to find meaning in
16 something greater than themselves, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the
17 outstanding accomplishments and sacrifices of these remarkable and distinguished
18 Americans be honored appropriately.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL
20 ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA that this body hereby joins in honoring disabled veterans and
21 dedicates the portion of Interstate 285 beginning east of Interstate 85 south of Atlanta to the
22 top end of Interstate 75 north of Atlanta in Cobb, DeKalb, and Fulton counties.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
24 directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the Disabled American Veterans
25 Highway.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
28 Department of Transportation.