

House Resolution 1827

By: Representatives Thomas of the 56th, Fludd of the 64th, Beasley-Teague of the 65th, Carter of the 92nd, Waites of the 60th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Reverend Albert Eugene Love; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Reverend Albert Eugene Love was born on August 2, 1945, the beloved son of
3 Mr. Henry Herbert Love, Sr., and Mrs. Lessie Geneva Richmond Love, and he graduated
4 from Merrick-Moore High School in Durham, North Carolina; and

5 WHEREAS, he received his Bachelor of Arts in Sociology with a minor in social studies
6 from St. Augustine's College in Raleigh, North Carolina, and his Master of Social Work with
7 a concentration in policy, planning, and administration from Atlanta University in Atlanta,
8 Georgia, and he attended Candler School of Theology at Emory University in Atlanta; and

9 WHEREAS, he has served as an educator in North Carolina, associate director of the
10 Christian Council of Metropolitan Atlanta, national administrator of the Southern Christian
11 Leadership Conference, staff assistant to United States Congressman John Lewis, president
12 and CEO of Love In Action Ministries, Inc., executive director of the Georgia Coalition for
13 the People's Agenda, special assistant to the SCLC national president, Charles Steele, Jr., and
14 president and CEO of the Voter Empowerment Collaborative; and

15 WHEREAS, he was ordained to preach at Wheat Street Baptist Church in Atlanta and is the
16 founder and pastor of Boat Rock Baptist Church in Atlanta; and

17 WHEREAS, Reverend Love is involved in many professional and civic organizations,
18 including being a member of the Atlanta Baptist Ministers Union; Leadership Atlanta, Inc.,
19 Class of 1978; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.; Atlanta Resource Foundation; Board of
20 Commissioners of the Fulton County Housing Authority; and Board of Directors of
21 Concerned Black Clergy of Metropolitan Atlanta, Inc., and he has served as vice president
22 of Missions; and

23 WHEREAS, he was a consultant for the People of the American Way Foundation for Voter
24 Registration; and

25 WHEREAS, his hobbies include church related events and activities, ecumenical
26 involvement, and community activism for civil and human rights; and

27 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to Mrs. Juanita Louise Sneed Love on
28 March 14, 1970; and

29 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the exemplary accomplishments of
30 Reverend Love be appropriately recognized.

31 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
32 the members of this body recognize and commend Reverend Albert Eugene Love for his
33 dedicated service to his community and the State of Georgia.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
35 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
36 Reverend Albert Eugene Love.