

House Resolution 201

By: Representatives Jasperse of the 11th, Williams of the 119th, Rogers of the 10th, Dubnik of the 29th, and Kelley of the 16th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Ashley Elizabeth Rodgers; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Ashley Rodgers is the state recipient of the Technical College System of
3 Georgia's 2016 Georgia Occupational Award of Leadership (GOAL), which is the first
4 program of its type in the nation to honor outstanding technical college students; and
- 5 WHEREAS, GOAL brings together Georgia's business, government, and industry leaders
6 with the state's technical colleges to celebrate technical education's vital impact on Georgia's
7 workforce, prosperity, and future; and
- 8 WHEREAS, for 45 years, the GOAL program has served as an excellent example of a true
9 partnership among business, industry, and higher education; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ms. Rodgers was selected from among 23 TCSG college GOAL winners who
11 have each demonstrated excellent academic and leadership abilities at their respective
12 technical colleges; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Ms. Rodgers, a marketing management student from South Georgia Technical
14 College, enrolled to receive the very best training necessary to acquire the knowledge and
15 skills that will afford her a secure future in her chosen profession; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Ms. Rodgers will serve as an ambassador for technical education in Georgia,
17 representing more than 131,000 TCSG students who benefit from technical education
18 programs at colleges throughout the state; and
- 19 WHEREAS, in pursuing her education, Ms. Rodgers brought honor to herself, her family,
20 South Georgia Technical College, and the entire Technical College System of Georgia,
21 which she represents as Georgia's outstanding technical college student for 2016.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body recognize and commend Ashley Elizabeth Rodgers for her
24 technical college achievements and efforts to promote technical education in Georgia.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
27 Ashley Elizabeth Rodgers.