

Senate Resolution 357

By: Senators Jackson of the 2nd, Jones of the 10th and Henson of the 41st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Kevin E. Woods, M.D., M.P.H.; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Kevin E. Woods, M.D., M.P.H., a physician, gastroenterologist, clinical
3 researcher, and inventor, currently serves as chief of Therapeutic Endoscopy,
4 Gastroenterology & Nutrition at Cancer Treatment Centers of America in Atlanta; and

5 WHEREAS, a native of Atlanta, Dr. Woods completed his early education in the Atlanta
6 Public Schools and is a product of Frederick Douglass High School's Center for Engineering
7 and Applied Technology; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Woods earned his Bachelor of Science degree in biology at Morehouse
9 College and his Doctor of Medicine degree at Meharry Medical College before completing
10 a residency in internal medicine at the Johns Hopkins Hospital; a clinical and research
11 fellowship in gastroenterology, hepatology, and advanced endoscopy at Massachusetts
12 General Hospital; and a Master of Public Health degree from the Harvard T.H. Chan School
13 of Public Health; and

14 WHEREAS, Dr. Woods has a long and consistent record of service to the community and
15 this state and has been recognized as one of the foremost gastroenterologists in the State of
16 Georgia; and

17 WHEREAS, one of the few physicians in the nation to offer comprehensive endoscopic
18 procedures in preventing and managing cancerous digestive diseases, he has been dedicated
19 to providing continuing innovation in medicine and remains steadfastly committed to the
20 principles of skill, integrity, and responsibility; and

21 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
22 extraordinary Georgian be appropriately recognized.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
24 commend Kevin E. Woods, M.D., M.P.H., for his manifold contributions to Georgia's health
25 and wellness, recognize his innumerable scientific achievements, and extend the most sincere
26 best wishes for continued success.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
28 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Kevin E. Woods,
29 M.D., M.P.H.