

House Resolution 609

By: Representative Bruce of the 61<sup>st</sup>

### A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending David Franklin Grant on the grand occasion of his retirement;  
2 and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, David Franklin Grant has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for  
4 the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the  
5 welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, David served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with distinction  
7 for 20 years, putting himself at risk so that others could enjoy the privilege of security and  
8 freedom; and

9 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,  
10 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community, state, and country, as evidenced  
11 dramatically by his superlative service with the United States Air Force; and

12 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high  
13 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens, and he possesses the vast wisdom  
14 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved  
15 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

16 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
17 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

18 WHEREAS, David has served with honor and distinction with the United States Air Force,  
19 and his vision and unyielding commitment to serving his community and country have set  
20 the standard for public service; and

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

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
24 the members of this body recognize and commend David Franklin Grant for his efficient,  
25 effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and the United  
26 States of America; congratulate him upon the grand occasion of his retirement; and extend  
27 the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to David  
30 Franklin Grant.