

House Resolution 1368

By: Representative Bentley of the 139th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending and congratulating Dr. Timothy B. Deas Sr.; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Dr. Timothy B. Deas Sr. was born on March 6, 1975, in Leon County, Florida,
3 and this year he enjoys the distinction of celebrating his 45th birthday; and

4 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding he has demonstrated have provided
5 the foundation of success from which his family members have developed and flourished as
6 evidenced by his loving marriage to Christina Deas and his two beautiful children, Trinity
7 and Timothy Jr.; and

8 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman has given inspiration to many through his high
9 ideals, morals, and deep concern for his fellow citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, Dr. Deas attended the public schools of Peach County and graduated from
11 Peach County High School; he continued his education at Fort Valley State University,
12 where he received his Bachelor of Science in middle grades education; later, he obtained a
13 master's degree, an educational specialist degree, and a doctorate of divinity degree as well;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, he is currently the senior pastor of the Greater Cathedral of Praise Ministries
16 in Fort Valley, Georgia, and holds the position of National Youth President in the First Born
17 Church of the Living God Inc.; and

18 WHEREAS, this remarkable Georgian is a lifelong educator with over 20 years of teaching
19 experience in the Technical College System of Georgia and the public schools of Peach,
20 Bibb, and Houston counties; he now serves as an elementary school assistant principal; and

21 WHEREAS, he has served in various capacities in ministry and in the community, such as
22 with the Morehouse College School of Religion, the Fort Valley Ministerial Alliance, the

23 Ray of Hope Outreach After School Program, and the Kay Road Elementary School Council;
24 and

25 WHEREAS, Dr. Deas is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable
26 reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

27 WHEREAS, a kind and generous person, Dr. Deas brings joy and happiness to his family and
28 to the many friends and neighbors who have the great pleasure of knowing him; and

29 WHEREAS, by the example Dr. Deas has made of his life, he makes this world a better place
30 in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that he be appropriately recognized during
31 this very special and memorable time.

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
33 the members of this body commend Dr. Timothy B. Deas Sr. for his unselfish, dedicated, and
34 loving service to the members of his family and community; congratulate him on the
35 occasion of his 45th birthday; and extend their most sincere best wishes for continued health
36 and happiness.

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
38 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dr.
39 Timothy B. Deas Sr.