

House Resolution 1585

By: Representative Silcox of the 52nd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Frank Camden Owens Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Frank Camden Owens Jr. on April 1, 2020; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Frank Camden Owens Jr. was born on October 13, 1928, in Atlanta, Georgia,
5 a beloved son of Anne Inman Grant and Frank C. Owens; and
- 6 WHEREAS, over his professional career, Frank served in a variety of leadership positions,
7 including chairman of the board, president, and director of Draper-Owens Company;
8 president and director of Tenir Securities Inc.; and director of the First National Bank of
9 Atlanta, H. StocktonAtlanta Inc., West End Tin Company, and Grant Properties; and
- 10 WHEREAS, an active member of the community, he also served as a member of the Young
11 Presidents' Organization Inc., director of the Georgia Arthritis Foundation, and trustee of
12 both the Atlanta Speech School and The Lovett School; and
- 13 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Frank was an active member of Peachtree
14 Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his wife, Marguerite Kent Owens, and
16 was blessed with four remarkable children, Frank III, William, Steven, and Marguerite; eight
17 wonderful grandchildren, Saffron, Frank IV, Steven Jr., Walter, Nicholas, Marguerite, Ian,
18 and Aidan; and two outstanding great-grandchildren, Addison and Parker; and
- 19 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
20 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
21 family and friends were admired by others; and

22 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
23 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he
24 made this world a better place in which to live; and

25 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Frank will long be remembered for his love
26 of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who had the great fortune of
27 knowing him.

28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
29 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Frank Camden Owens Jr.
30 and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
33 family of Frank Camden Owens Jr.