

House Resolution 277

By: Representatives Cannon of the 58th, Lim of the 99th, Hutchinson of the 107th, Clark of the 108th, Park of the 101st, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Aisha Yaqoob; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Aisha Yaqoob has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 important role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the
4 welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, she has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of her time,
6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of her community and state, as evidenced by her
7 superlative service as the creator of the GA Muslim Voter Project and a co-organizer of the
8 Atlanta March for Social Justice & Women; and

9 WHEREAS, Aisha's dedication to encouraging voter registration and participation has
10 resulted in a significant increase in voter turnout in a community that rarely participated in
11 the electoral process historically; and

12 WHEREAS, her significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience and
13 diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state have
14 earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

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

17 WHEREAS, Aisha has served the citizens of this state with honor and distinction, and her
18 vision and unyielding commitment have set the standard for civic service; and

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

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body recognize and commend Aisha Yaqoob for her efficient, effective,
23 unselfish, and dedicated service to the State of Georgia and extend the most sincere best
24 wishes for continued health and happiness.

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 Aisha
27 Yaqoob.