

House Resolution 506

By: Representatives Moore of the 90th, Williams of the 168th, Bennett of the 94th, Mitchell of the 88th, and McClain of the 100th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Pamela Stephenson; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Pamela Stephenson has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
3 vital role that she has played in leadership and her deep personal commitment to the welfare
4 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
7 dramatically by her superlative service with the Georgia General Assembly, Grady Memorial
8 Hospital, and the State Health Planning Agency to help children, seniors, and other citizens
9 in need; and
- 10 WHEREAS, she is a former state representative who served Georgia's 90th District, which
11 includes parts of DeKalb and Rockdale counties, and spoke for a population that is 86
12 percent African American; and
- 13 WHEREAS, she served with distinction on several committees, where she was recognized
14 for her hard work and dedication to excellence; and

15 WHEREAS, as a result of her many contributions to improve the health and well-being of
16 her fellow citizens, Governor Zell Miller appointed her to lead the State Health Planning
17 Agency and Governor Roy Barnes appointed her to the State Medical Education Board; and

18 WHEREAS, her advocacy for quality education, environmental justice, and adequate and
19 affordable healthcare for all Georgians is a testament to her commitment to her community;
20 and

21 WHEREAS, Pamela's significant organizational and leadership talents, remarkable patience
22 and diplomacy, keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of this state
23 have earned her the respect and admiration of her colleagues and associates; and

24 WHEREAS, her vision and unyielding commitment to many worthy causes have set the
25 standard for public service, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding
26 accomplishments of this remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body recognize and commend Pamela Stephenson for her efficient,
29 effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend the most
30 sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

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
33 Pamela Stephenson.