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Senate Resolution 723

By: Senators Jackson of the 2nd, Rahman of the 5th, Jones of the 10th, and Harbison of the 15th

ADOPTED SENATE

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Thomas DeCarlo Callaway, better known as CeeLo Green;
- 2 and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Thomas DeCarlo Callaway has a long and consistent record as one of the most
- 4 dynamic singers, rappers, record producers, and businessmen in Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, born in Atlanta, Georgia, this outstanding citizen has had a tremendous impact
- 6 on his community through his talent and continuous musical success; and
- 7 WHEREAS, CeeLo came to initial prominence as a member of the southern hip hop group
- 8 Goodie Mob before starting his solo career and has had numerous worldwide hits, earning
- 9 him numerous awards and accolades, including five Grammy Awards, a BET Award, a
- 10 Billboard Award, and a Brit Award; and
- 11 WHEREAS, CeeLo has released three more solo albums, was a judge and coach on the
- 12 American singing competition television show *The Voice*, and voiced Murray the Mummy
- 13 in the 2012 animated feature film *Hotel Transylvania*; and

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14 WHEREAS, he has appeared in commercials, television programs, and films and hosted his

- 15 own show, CeeLo Green's The Good Life, on TBS; and
- 16 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 17 extraordinary Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 19 recognize and commend Thomas DeCarlo Callaway, better known as CeeLo Green, for his
- 20 contributions to the music and entertainment industry and extend best wishes for future
- 21 success and happiness.
- 22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 23 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Thomas DeCarlo
- 24 Callaway.