

Senate Resolution 621

By: Senators Dixon of the 45th, Still of the 48th, Kirkpatrick of the 32nd, Goodman of the 8th, Hickman of the 4th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE) and recognizing
2 February 20, 2024, as PAGE Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE) is the state's largest
4 organization for professional educators with more than 94,000 members who are teachers,
5 administrators, and support personnel employed in every school system in Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, PAGE was founded in the 1970s with the mission to make Georgia a better
7 place for students to learn and for teachers to teach; and

8 WHEREAS, the PAGE Foundation sponsors the Academic Bowl for middle grades, the
9 Georgia Academic Decathlon for high school students, and the Student and Teacher
10 Achievement Recognition (STAR) program; and

11 WHEREAS, PAGE has promoted teaching as a profession by sponsoring local chapters of
12 the Future Georgia Educators in middle and high schools across the state; and

13 WHEREAS, PAGE provides legal protection and professional learning to enhance
14 competence and confidence, build leadership, and increase student achievement; and

15 WHEREAS, PAGE actively participates in the legislative process each year, working to
16 improve education and student achievement while promoting a positive and professional
17 working relationship with legislative representatives across the state; and

18 WHEREAS, on February 20, 2024, PAGE members and leaders will gather at the state
19 capitol to meet with their local legislators.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
21 commend the Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE) for its advocacy and
22 support of educators and education and recognize February 20, 2024, as PAGE Day at the
23 state capitol.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
25 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Professional
26 Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE).