

## House Resolution 612

By: Representatives Scott of the 76<sup>th</sup>, Davis of the 87<sup>th</sup>, and Schofield of the 63<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Kenneth K. Mickens; 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 Kenneth K. Mickens; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Kenneth K. Mickens was born on April 3, 1955, in Havana, Florida, a beloved  
5 son of Arthur Mickens Sr. and Ella Mae Harrison-Mickens; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United  
7 States Army, valiantly and courageously protecting his fellow Americans; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Mr. Mickens began a career at the Tallahassee FCI as a correctional officer and  
9 later followed his passion on becoming an entrepreneur, creating fashion shows, the  
10 Commonwealth Tax Services, X-Men Builder and Associates, and the Frankie and Johnny  
11 clothing store; and
- 12 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Mickens was an active member of New  
13 Mt. Zion AME Church; and

14 WHEREAS, he was blessed with three remarkable children, Christopher, Brandon, and  
15 Patrice; with two wonderful grandchildren, Bryan and Braylen; and by his former wife, best  
16 friend, and mother of his children, Patricia Ann Lofton-Mickens; and

17 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern  
18 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his  
19 family and friends were admired by others; and

20 WHEREAS, he possessed the vast wisdom which only comes through experience and the  
21 strength of character which is achieved by overcoming the many challenges of life; and

22 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Kenneth K. Mickens will long be  
23 remembered for his love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who  
24 had the great fortune of knowing him.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
26 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Kenneth K. Mickens and  
27 express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
30 family of Kenneth K. Mickens.