

House Resolution 2042

By: Representatives Bell of the 75<sup>th</sup>, Berry of the 56<sup>th</sup>, and Holly of the 116<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Townsend and Lockett, LLC, for its exemplary contributions  
2 to business law and economic leadership in the State of Georgia; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Townsend & Lockett, LLC (T&L) is a full-service business law firm founded  
4 and headquartered in the State of Georgia, with additional offices in Dallas, Texas; Los  
5 Angeles, California; and Chicago, Illinois; and

6 WHEREAS, T&L was founded by D. Tennell Lockett and Travis Townsend, Jr., whose  
7 vision, leadership, and commitment to excellence have driven the firm's growth and national  
8 recognition; and

9 WHEREAS, under the leadership of its founders and equity partner Christopher E. Gilmore,  
10 who chairs several of the firm's practice groups, T&L has established itself as a trusted legal  
11 advisor to Fortune 500 companies, handling more than \$21 billion in domestic and  
12 international transactions over the past decade; and

13 WHEREAS, T&L is recognized as a leader in the practice areas of mergers and acquisitions,  
14 capital markets, commercial real estate, intellectual property and technology, private equity  
15 and venture capital, as well as commercial litigation and arbitration; and

16 WHEREAS, entering its sixteenth year of operation, T&L continues to exemplify the highest  
17 standards of professionalism, innovation, and legal expertise, contributing to the economic  
18 growth and business success of companies both in Georgia and across the nation; and

19 WHEREAS, T&L's dedication to excellence reflects the entrepreneurial spirit and leadership  
20 that have made Georgia a hub for business, commerce, and legal innovation.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
22 the members of this body commend Townsend & Lockett, LLC, for its outstanding  
23 achievements, exemplary service in the field of business law, and significant contributions  
24 to Georgia's economic development and national business leadership.

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  
27 Townsend & Lockett, LLC.