

Representative Hall, Atlanta, Georgia**Thursday, February 7, 2013****Thirteenth Legislative Day**

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 o'clock, A.M., this day and was called to order by the Speaker.

The roll was called and the following Representatives answered to their names:

Abrams	Coleman	Greene	Martin	Smith, E
Alexander	Cooke	Gregory	Maxwell	Smith, L
Allison	Coomer	Hamilton	Mayo	Smith, M
Anderson	Cooper	Harden	E McCall	Smith, R
Atwood	Dawkins-Haigler	E Harrell	Meadows	Spencer
Ballinger	Deffenbaugh	Hatchett	Mitchell	Stephens, M
Barr	Dempsey	Hawkins	Morgan	Stephens, R
Battles	Dickerson	E Henson	E Murphy	Stephenson
Beasley-Teague	Dickey	Hightower	Neal	Stovall
Bell	Dickson	Hill	Nimmer	Strickland
Bennett	Douglas	Hitchens	Nix	Talton
Bentley	Drenner	Holcomb	O'Neal	Tankersley
Benton	Dudgeon	Holmes	Parrish	Tanner
Black	Dukes	Holt	Parsons	E Taylor, D
Braddock	Dunahoo	Houston	Peake	Taylor, T
Broadrick	Duncan	Howard	Pezold	Teasley
Brockway	Dutton	Jackson	Powell, A	Thomas, A.M.
Brooks	Ehrhart	Jasperse	Powell, J	Thomas, B
Bruce	England	Jones, J	Quick	Waites
Bryant	Epps, C	Jones, L	Ramsey	Watson, B
Buckner	Epps, J	Jones, S	Rice	Watson, S
Burns	Evans	Jordan	Riley	Welch
Caldwell, J	Fleming	Kaiser	Roberts	E Weldon
Caldwell, M	Fludd	Kelley	E Rogers, C	Wilkerson
Carson	Frazier	Kendrick	Rogers, T	Wilkinson
Carter	Frye	Kidd	Rutledge	Willard
E Casas	Gardner	Kirby	Rynders	Williams, A
Chandler	Gasaway	E Knight	Scott	Williams, C
Channell	Geisinger	Lindsey	E Setzler	Williams, E
Chapman	Glanton	Lumsden	Sharper	Williamson
Cheokas	Golick	Mabra	Shaw	Yates
E Clark, J	Gordon	Marin	Sims, B	Ralston, Speaker
Clark, V	Gravley			

The following members were off the floor of the House when the roll was called:

Representatives Beverly of the 143rd, Floyd of the 99th, Fullerton of the 153rd, Harbin of the 122nd, Hugley of the 136th, Jacobs of the 80th, Morris of the 156th, Mosby

of the 83rd, Oliver of the 82nd, Pak of the 108th, Pruett of the 149th, Randall of the 142nd, Sheldon of the 104th, Sims of the 169th, and Smyre of the 135th.

They wished to be recorded as present.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Ken Myers, Camilla United Methodist Church, Camilla, Georgia.

The members pledged allegiance to the flag.

Representative Sims of the 123rd, Chairman of the Committee on Information and Audits, reported that the Journal of the previous legislative day had been read and found to be correct.

By unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal was confirmed.

By unanimous consent, the following was established as the order of business during the first part of the period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of Bills and Resolutions.
2. First reading and reference of House Bills and Resolutions.
3. Second reading of Bills and Resolutions.
4. Reports of Standing Committees.
5. Third reading and passage of Local uncontested Bills.
6. First reading and reference of Senate Bills and Resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following Bills and Resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committees:

HB 224. By Representatives Sims of the 169th and Roberts of the 155th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to reestablish the Board of Commissioners of Coffee County; to supersede the laws pertaining to the governing authority of Coffee County; to provide for the powers of the board of commissioners, the composition of the board of commissioners, election districts, qualifications of commissioners, terms of office for commissioners, filling vacancies,

meetings, a quorum, the responsibilities of the chairperson, a vice chairperson, and the vice chairperson's responsibilities; to provide for oaths, bonds, budgets, audits, a county manager, a clerk, minutes, and compensation and expenses of commissioners; to provide for submission for approval pursuant to the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965; to provide for the repeal of existing enabling legislation and other conflicting laws; to provide for related matters; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Intragovernmental Coordination - Local.

HB 225. By Representatives Kirby of the 114th, McCall of the 33rd, Powell of the 32nd, Geisinger of the 48th, Spencer of the 180th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 50-13-4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to procedures relative to the adoption, amendment, and modification of agency rules and regulations, so as to require that rules or regulations administered by the Environmental Protection Division of the Department of Natural Resources be approved by the General Assembly prior to promulgation; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources & Environment.

HB 226. By Representatives Nix of the 69th, Burns of the 159th, Roberts of the 155th, Mosby of the 83rd, Drenner of the 85th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Part 1 of Article 2 of Chapter 8 of Title 12 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to solid waste management generally, so as to revise certain requirements related to tire transportation, storage, and disposal; to provide for definitions; to correct cross-references; to provide enforcement authority to certain officers; to require permits and vehicle decals for used tire and scrap tire carriers; to amend Code Section 12-2-2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general provisions regarding the Environmental Protection Division and Environmental Advisory Council, so as to update effective date of rules and regulations for purposes of criminal law enforcement; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources & Environment.

HB 227. By Representative Stephens of the 164th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the issuance, expiration, and renewal of drivers' licenses, so as to authorize the issuance of a temporary driving permit to a noncitizen applicant whose Georgia driver's license has expired, or will expire, who has filed a request for an extension to remain lawfully within the United States; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary Non-Civil.

HB 228. By Representatives Hamilton of the 24th, Jones of the 47th, Peake of the 141st, Powell of the 171st, Dudgeon of the 25th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 4 of Chapter 5 of Title 21 of the O.C.G.A., relating to conduct of public officials and lobbyist disclosure; to provide that public employees shall not use government owned or leased computers or telecommunications devices to promote or oppose the passage of any legislation by the General Assembly or to promote or oppose the approval or veto of any legislation by the Governor; to provide that e-mail addresses of parents or guardians of students in school systems collected by the school system shall be used only for school related functions and shall not be used for the purpose of promoting or opposing the passage of any legislation by the General Assembly, promoting or opposing the approval or veto of any legislation by the Governor, or promoting or opposing the ratification or approval of questions submitted to the electorate; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

HB 229. By Representatives Teasley of the 37th, Shaw of the 176th, Golick of the 40th, Taylor of the 173rd, Carson of the 46th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 3 of Title 33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to authorization and general requirements for transaction of insurance, so as to provide for removing the insurer annual publication requirement; to provide that the Commissioner shall provide on the department's website a financial summary position of each insurer; to provide for changes to the submission of reports by property and casualty insurers; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

HB 230. By Representatives Powell of the 171st, Channell of the 120th, Shaw of the 176th, Smith of the 134th, Rynders of the 152nd and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 65 of Title 36 of the O.C.G.A., relating to immunity from antitrust liability, so as to express and clarify by declaration of the General Assembly of Georgia that, in the exercise of the powers specifically granted to them in Article 4 of Chapter 7 of Title 31, hospital authorities created thereunder are acting pursuant to state policy; to articulate clearly and express affirmatively, and to clarify that it is and has been, the policy of the State of Georgia that such hospital authorities in the exercise of the powers specifically granted to them in Article 4 of Chapter 7 of Title 31 shall be immune from antitrust liability to the same degree and extent as enjoyed by the State of Georgia; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

HB 231. By Representative Neal of the 2nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 7 of Title 48 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the imposition, rate, and computation of income taxes and exemptions, so as to change the allocation of the cap for qualified education tax credits; to provide for a tax credit for certain contributions to public schools; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Ways & Means.

HB 232. By Representatives Battles of the 15th and Maxwell of the 17th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 47-21-4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to employee and other contributions in the Regents Retirement Plan, so as to change the level of employee participation; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Retirement.

HB 233. By Representatives Dukes of the 154th, Greene of the 151st and Fullerton of the 153rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to authorize the governing authority of the City of Albany to levy an excise tax pursuant to subsection (b) of Code Section 48-13-51 of the O.C.G.A.; to provide procedures, conditions, and limitations; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Ways & Means.

HB 234. By Representatives Smith of the 70th, Ramsey of the 72nd, Lindsey of the 54th and Epps of the 132nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Title 13 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to contracts, so as to enact a new chapter that provides for notice of automatic renewal provisions in service contracts; to provide for notice to a consumer prior to the automatic renewal of a service contract; to provide for definitions; to provide for exemptions; to provide for an effective date and applicability; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture & Consumer Affairs.

HB 235. By Representatives Ehrhart of the 36th and Meadows of the 5th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 30 of Title 43 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to optometrists, so as to revise the definition of optometry; to remove the exemption for continuing education requirements for persons practicing optometry who are 65 years of age or older; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

HB 236. By Representatives Quick of the 117th, Willard of the 51st, Oliver of the 82nd, Fleming of the 121st and Mabra of the 63rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 11 of Title 19 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the enforcement of duty of support, so as to update the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Juvenile Justice.

- HB 237. By Representatives Frye of the 118th, Sharper of the 177th, Abrams of the 89th, Hugley of the 136th, Fludd of the 64th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 60 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general provisions applicable to local governments, so as to modify the requirements relating to verification of lawful residency by applicants of business licenses and private employers; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

- HB 238. By Representatives Maxwell of the 17th, Battles of the 15th, Coleman of the 97th, Benton of the 31st, Riley of the 50th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 47-4-101 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to retirement benefits payable under the Public School Employees Retirement System, so as to clarify certain provisions relating to a limitation on the maximum level of retirement benefits; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Retirement.

- HB 239. By Representatives Brockway of the 102nd, Casas of the 107th, Duncan of the 26th, Dudgeon of the 25th and Pak of the 108th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 7 of Title 48 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the imposition, rate, and computation of income taxes and exemptions, so as to broaden the types of tax liability subject to offset by the qualified education tax credit; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date and applicability; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Ways & Means.

- HB 240. By Representatives Carson of the 46th, Holt of the 112th, Black of the 174th and Evans of the 42nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 4 of Title 49 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to medical assistance generally, so as to require Medicaid and PeachCare for Kids reimbursement

for certain speech-language pathology services; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Health & Human Services.

HB 241. By Representatives Gardner of the 57th, Bell of the 58th, Kaiser of the 59th, Waites of the 60th, Abrams of the 89th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to continue the existence of the Atlanta Independent School System under the management and control of the Atlanta Board of Education, approved June 3, 2003 (Ga. L. 2003, p. 4154), so as to change the description of the education districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation in office for current members; to provide for the submission of this Act for preclearance pursuant to Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to provide for related matters; to provide for effective dates; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Intragovernmental Coordination - Local.

HR 204. By Representatives Greene of the 151st, Rynders of the 152nd, Fullerton of the 153rd, Harden of the 148th and Houston of the 170th:

A RESOLUTION encouraging the United States Congress as well as the House and Senate Armed Services Committees to avoid sequestration; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Defense & Veterans Affairs.

HR 205. By Representatives Neal of the 2nd, Kidd of the 145th, Cheokas of the 138th, Dunahoo of the 30th and Hill of the 22nd:

A RESOLUTION authorizing the conveyance of certain state owned real property; to provide an effective date; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on State Properties.

HR 217. By Representative Powell of the 171st:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Special Agent Welton Harrell and dedicating a road in his memory; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By unanimous consent, the following Bills and Resolution of the House and Senate were read the second time:

HB 27	HB 204
HB 205	HB 206
HB 207	HB 208
HB 209	HB 210
HB 211	HB 212
HB 213	HB 214
HB 215	HB 216
HB 217	HB 218
HB 219	HB 220
HB 221	HB 222
HB 223	HR 190
SB 28	

Representative Coleman of the 97th District, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education has had under consideration the following Bills of the House and has instructed me to report the same back to the House with the following recommendations:

HB 115	Do Pass, by Substitute
HB 116	Do Pass

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Coleman of the 97th
Chairman

Representative Cooper of the 43rd District, Chairman of the Committee on Health and Human Services, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the following Bills of the House and has instructed me to report the same back to the House with the following recommendations:

HB 50	Do Pass, by Substitute
HB 68	Do Pass, by Substitute

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Cooper of the 43rd
Chairman

Representative Hamilton of the 24th District, Chairman of the Committee on Industry and Labor, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Industry and Labor has had under consideration the following Bill of the House and has instructed me to report the same back to the House with the following recommendation:

HB 154 Do Pass

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Hamilton of the 24th
Chairman

Representative Atwood of the 179th District, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Juvenile Justice, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Juvenile Justice has had under consideration the following Bill of the House and has instructed me to report the same back to the House with the following recommendation:

HB 182 Do Pass

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Atwood of the 179th
Vice-Chairman

Representative Battles of the 15th District, Chairman of the Committee on Retirement, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Retirement has had under consideration the following Bill of the House and has instructed me to report the same back to the House with the following recommendation:

HB 71 Do Pass

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Battles of the 15th
Chairman

The following report of the Committee on Rules was read and adopted:

HOUSE RULES CALENDAR
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2013

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House:

The Committee on Rules has fixed the calendar for this 13th Legislative Day as enumerated below:

DEBATE CALENDAR

Open Rule

None

Modified Open Rule

HB 3 Evidence; professional forestry; Department of Public Health; AIDS;
provisions (Judy-Willard-51st)

Modified Structured Rule

None

Structured Rule

None

Bills and Resolutions on this calendar may be called in any order the Speaker desires.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Meadows of the 5th
Chairman

The following message was received from the Senate through Mr. Ewing, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the Senate and House:

SB 14. By Senators Unterman of the 45th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Crosby of the 13th, Hill of the 4th and Orrock of the 36th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 8 of Title 31 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to indigent and elderly patients, so as to create a Georgia Alzheimer's and Related Dementias State Plan Task Force; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for its members and vacancies; to provide for duties and responsibilities; to provide for a chairperson; to provide for a quorum for the transaction of business; to provide for a final report; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to provide for automatic repeal; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

HB 63. By Representative Channell of the 120th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating the Board of Commissioners of Greene County, approved August 11, 1925 (Ga. L. 1925, p. 653), as amended, particularly by an Act approved October 1, 2001 (Ga. L. 2001, Ex. Sess., p. 698), and by an Act approved September 21, 2011 (Ga. L. 2011, Ex. Sess., p. 411), so as to change the description of the commissioner districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation in office of current members; to provide for election of subsequent members; to provide for submission of this Act for approval under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

HB 64. By Representative Channell of the 120th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to provide that certain officials of Greene County who have served at least 15 years in office may, upon leaving, continue to participate in the county health insurance program for themselves and their dependents by paying the total cost of such participation, approved May 16, 2007 (Ga. L. 2007, p. 3664), so as to clarify the qualifications for participation in such health insurance program; to remove the coroner from eligibility to participate in such health insurance program; to prohibit persons who are separated from the county by their commission of an

illegal act from participating in such health insurance program; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

HB 65. By Representative Channell of the 120th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating the Board of Education of Greene County, approved March 12, 1986 (Ga. L. 1986, p. 3696), as amended, particularly by an Act approved October 1, 2001 (Ga. L. 2001, Ex. Sess., p. 693), and by an Act approved September 21, 2011 (Ga. L. 2011, Ex. Sess., p. 417), so as to change the description of the education districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation in office of current members; to provide for election of subsequent members; to provide for submission of this Act for approval under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

By unanimous consent, the following Bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to the Committee:

SB 14. By Senators Unterman of the 45th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Crosby of the 13th, Hill of the 4th and Orrock of the 36th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 8 of Title 31 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to indigent and elderly patients, so as to create a Georgia Alzheimer's and Related Dementias State Plan Task Force; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for its members and vacancies; to provide for duties and responsibilities; to provide for a chairperson; to provide for a quorum for the transaction of business; to provide for a final report; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to provide for automatic repeal; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Human Relations & Aging.

The Speaker Pro Tem assumed the Chair.

The following members were recognized during the period of Morning Orders and addressed the House:

Representatives Williams of the 168th, Sims of the 123rd, Hatchett of the 150th, Epps of the 144th, Pruett of the 149th, Hugley of the 136th, Sharper of the 177th, Jones of the 53rd, Benton of the 31st, Willard of the 51st, Lindsey of the 54th, Morgan of the 39th, and Brockway of the 102nd.

Pursuant to HR 195, the House recognized February 7, 2013, as Turkish American Day at the capitol and commended the contributions of the Istanbul Center and Turkish Americans to the State of Georgia and invited them to be recognized by the House of Representatives.

Pursuant to HR 206, the House recognized February 7, 2013, as Veterinary Medicine Day at the state capitol and invited representatives from the Georgia veterinary medical community to be recognized by the House of Representatives.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

By unanimous consent, the following Bill of the House was postponed until tomorrow:

HB 3. By Representative Willard of the 51st:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Part 2 of Article 1 of Chapter 6 of Title 12 and Title 24 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the practice of professional forestry and evidence, respectively, so as to conform provisions of the Code due to the passage of 2011 HB 24 and HB 214; to change provisions relating to using a writing to refresh memory; to reassign functions of the former Division of Public Health of the Department of Community Health to the new Department of Public Health relating to disclosure of AIDS confidential information; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Representative Maxwell of the 17th District, Chairman of the Committee on Regulated Industries, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Regulated Industries has had under consideration the following Bills of the House and has instructed me to report the same back to the House with the following recommendations:

HB 124 Do Pass, by Substitute
HB 132 Do Pass, by Substitute

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Maxwell of the 17th
Chairman

The following message was received from the Senate through Mr. Ewing, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted by the requisite constitutional majority the following resolution of the House:

HR 203. By Representative Ralston of the 7th:

A RESOLUTION to provide for the nomination and election of the state auditor; and for other purposes.

The Speaker announced that, pursuant to the adoption of HR 203 by the House and Senate, the nomination and election of the state auditor shall be one hour after the convening of the House of Representatives and the Senate on Friday, February 8, 2013, at which time the chair shall call for the nomination and election of the state auditor by the House.

The Speaker called the House to order.

The hour of convening the Joint Session pursuant to HR 10 having arrived, the Senate appeared upon the floor of the House and the Joint Session, convened for the purpose of hearing an address from the Honorable Carol W. Hunstein, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, was called to order by the Speaker of the House, David Ralston.

The Resolution calling for the Joint Session was read.

The Honorable Carol W. Hunstein appeared upon the floor of the House and addressed the Joint Session.

Representative O'Neal of the 146th moved that the Joint Session of the General Assembly be now dissolved and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker of the House, David Ralston, announced the Joint Session dissolved.

The Speaker called the House to order.

The Speaker Pro Tem assumed the Chair.

The following Resolution of the House, referred to the House Rules Subcommittee on Invites, was reported by the Committee on Rules with the following recommendation:

HR 181 Do Pass

The following Resolution of the House, favorably reported by the Committee on Rules, was read and adopted:

HR 181. By Representatives Hitchens of the 161st, Lumsden of the 12th, Atwood of the 179th, Deffenbaugh of the 1st, Tanner of the 9th and others:

A RESOLUTION commending law enforcement cooperation between the State of Georgia, the United States Department of State, and the Republic of Georgia and inviting Director Vernon Keenan of the Georgia Bureau of Investigation to be recognized by the House of Representatives.

The following Resolutions of the House were read and referred to the Committee on Rules:

HR 219. By Representatives Williams of the 119th, Quick of the 117th, Frye of the 118th, Rogers of the 29th, England of the 116th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Dr. Michael F. Adams on his extraordinary accomplishments as president of the University of Georgia and inviting him to be recognized by the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

HR 220. By Representatives Dickson of the 6th, Broadrick of the 4th and Neal of the 2nd:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Northwest Whitfield County High School Lady Bruins softball team on their 2012 GHSA Class AAAA State Championship and inviting them to be recognized by the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

HR 221. By Representative Parrish of the 158th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Emanuel County Institute High School football team on their 2012 GHSA Class A State Championship and inviting the team to appear before the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

HR 222. By Representatives Nimmer of the 178th, Coomer of the 14th, Houston of the 170th, Shaw of the 176th, Watson of the 172nd and others:

A RESOLUTION commending the Pierce County High School cheerleading squad on their 2012-2013 GHSA Class AAA State Championship and inviting them to be recognized by the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

The following Resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

HR 223. By Representatives Beasley-Teague of the 65th, Brooks of the 55th, Dawkins-Haigler of the 91st, Scott of the 76th, Anderson of the 92nd and others:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Mrs. Corine Legg Box; and for other purposes.

HR 224. By Representatives Beasley-Teague of the 65th, Dawkins-Haigler of the 91st, Scott of the 76th, Jordan of the 77th, Thomas of the 56th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Temple of Prayer United Church of God in Christ on the occasion of its 25th anniversary; and for other purposes.

HR 225. By Representatives Beasley-Teague of the 65th, Dawkins-Haigler of the 91st, Hugley of the 136th, Scott of the 76th, Jordan of the 77th and others:

A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing Bennie Butler Newroth for her significant achievements; and for other purposes.

HR 226. By Representative Hill of the 22nd:

A RESOLUTION recognizing February 23, 2013, as Rotary Day in Georgia; and for other purposes.

HR 227. By Representatives Coleman of the 97th, Nix of the 69th, Smith of the 70th, Kaiser of the 59th, Rice of the 95th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Peter Leistikow; and for other purposes.

Representative O'Neal of the 146th moved that the House do now adjourn until 9:30 o'clock, tomorrow morning, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker Pro Tem announced the House adjourned until 9:30 o'clock, tomorrow morning.