

House Resolution 198

By: Representatives Carter of the 175th, England of the 116th, McCall of the 33rd, Ralston of the 7th, and Watson of the 172nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February as Career and Technical Education Month and February 12, 2013, as
2 Georgia Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSO) Day at the State Capitol; and
3 for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, the Georgia Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTI, DECA, FBLA,
5 FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, SkillsUSA, and TSA) and Career, Technical, and Agricultural
6 Education provide a solid establishment for the youth of America and the future of the
7 business and economic development of our state; and

8 WHEREAS, the Georgia CTSO's promote occupational excellence, leadership, and
9 citizenship among their members who are preparing for the workforce and further education;
10 and

11 WHEREAS, Georgia CTSO's are an integral and co-curricular component of the Career,
12 Technical, and Agricultural Education programs which are designed to support instructional
13 objectives and attainment of academic and technical competencies; and

14 WHEREAS, they provide an opportunity for students to gain confidence and knowledge
15 through competition; and

16 WHEREAS, the Georgia CTSO's motivate youth to become better students and more
17 productive citizens, developing into school and community leaders; and

18 WHEREAS, February is officially recognized as Career and Technical Education Month by
19 the Association for Career and Technical Education and the Georgia Association for Career
20 and Technical Education.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body recognize February as Career and Technical Education Month and

23 February 12, 2013, as Georgia Career and Technical Student Organizations Day at the State
24 Capitol and commend these organizations for their many services to the people of Georgia.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Association for Career
27 and Technical Education and the Georgia Association for Career and Technical Education.