

House Resolution 2029

By: Representatives Gravley of the 67th and Hightower of the 68th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating Judge Peggy H. Walker upon her installation as president of the National
2 Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges for 2014-2015; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Judge Peggy H. Walker faithfully serves in a leadership role in Douglas County
4 and in the great State of Georgia, and the Georgia House of Representatives takes this
5 opportunity to congratulate her on her pending role with the National Council of Juvenile and
6 Family Court Judges; and

7 WHEREAS, Judge Walker has served as president of the Council of Juvenile Court Judges
8 for the State of Georgia and has continued to offer guidance as a member of the Georgia
9 Commission on Family Violence, serving two years as chair of the commission leading
10 efforts to write a state plan to end domestic violence; and

11 WHEREAS, she was a member of the first class of Georgia State University's College of
12 Law, where she graduated with honors, and completed a senior fellowship at Emory
13 University's Barton Clinic on Child Policy and Law and is also a Zero to Three Harris
14 Mid-Career Fellow; and

15 WHEREAS, Judge Walker gives of her time to teach law students, attorneys, caseworkers,
16 judges, and other stakeholders on complex trauma, substance abuse, domestic violence, and
17 resiliency in families and children; and

18 WHEREAS, she has served as a member of the Board of Trustees for the National Council
19 of Juvenile and Family Court Judges from 2005 to the present; and

20 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
21 remarkable Georgian be appropriately recognized.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body acknowledge and applaud the efforts of Judge Peggy H. Walker
24 as she is installed as president of the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
25 for 2014-2015.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Judge Peggy H. Walker.