

## House Resolution 263

By: Representatives Kendrick of the 95<sup>th</sup>, Carter of the 93<sup>rd</sup>, Mitchell of the 88<sup>th</sup>, Hugley of the 141<sup>st</sup>, and Bennett of the 94<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Dr. Bernice A. King; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Dr. Bernice A. King was born on March 28, 1963, the youngest child of Dr.  
3 Martin Luther King Jr. and Coretta Scott King, and this year she enjoys the delightful  
4 distinction of celebrating her 60th birthday; and
- 5 WHEREAS, a global thought leader, strategist, solutionist, orator, and peace advocate, Dr.  
6 Bernice A. King educates youth and adults around the world about the nonviolent principles  
7 and strategies modeled by her parents through her work at The King Center; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided  
9 the foundation of success from which her family members have developed and flourished;  
10 and
- 11 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high  
12 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens; and

13 WHEREAS, Dr. Bernice A. King possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through  
14 experience and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many  
15 challenges of life; and

16 WHEREAS, a resident of Georgia, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an  
17 unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

18 WHEREAS, a kind and generous person, Dr. Bernice A. King brings joy and happiness to  
19 her family and to the many friends and neighbors who have the great pleasure of knowing  
20 her; and

21 WHEREAS, by the example Dr. Bernice A. King has made of her life, she makes this world  
22 a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she be appropriately  
23 recognized during this very special and memorable time.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
25 the members of this body commend Dr. Bernice A. King for her unselfish, dedicated, and  
26 loving service to the members of her family, community, and state; congratulate her on the  
27 remarkable occasion of her 60th birthday; and extend their most sincere best wishes for  
28 continued health and happiness.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
30 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dr.  
31 Bernice A. King.