

House Resolution 278

By: Representative Dukes of the 154th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Felton "Jit" Brown, Sr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Felton "Jit" Brown, Sr., on January 1, 2017; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Felton "Jit" Brown, Sr., was born on August 26, 1956, in Miami, Florida, a
5 beloved son of Charles and Betty Brown; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Felton was an active member of Pilgrim Rest
7 Missionary Baptist Church, where he joined at an early age; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he was united in love and marriage to his wife, Theresa, and was blessed with
9 three remarkable children, Laetrice, Lakeya, and Felton, Jr.; and eight wonderful
10 grandchildren, Shaday, Damon, Javanay, Layla, Paris, Jayden, Jovan, Jr., and Nia; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Felton gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep
12 concern for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he
13 demonstrated to his family and friends were admired by others; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
15 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of his life, he
16 made this world a better place in which to live; and
- 17 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Felton will long be remembered for his
18 kindness, dedicated work ethic, and love of family and will be missed by all who had the
19 great fortune of knowing him.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Felton "Jit" Brown, Sr.,
22 and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
25 family of Felton "Jit" Brown, Sr.