

Senate Resolution 237

By: Senators Brass of the 28th, Robertson of the 29th, Kennedy of the 18th, Gooch of the 51st, Goodman of the 8th and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Dr. Hasco William Craver III; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III is a native of Doylestown, Pennsylvania; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III graduated from the University of Delaware in
4 1979 with a Bachelor of Science in physical therapy; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as a Physical Therapist and Assistant
6 Director of the Pennsylvania State University Sports Medicine Center in Hershey,
7 Pennsylvania, between 1979 and 1983; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III graduated with his Doctor of Osteopathic
9 Medicine from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1987; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as a General Surgery Resident and Chief
11 Resident General Surgery at the Osteopathic Medical Center of Philadelphia between 1988
12 and 1992; and

13 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as a General Surgeon at medical centers
14 in Pennsylvania, Kentucky, and Georgia between 1992 and 2005; and

15 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as an Assistant Professor of Surgery
16 between 1992 and 1994; and

17 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as an Associate Professor of Surgery
18 between 1994 and 2009; and

19 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as a Professor of Surgery between 2009
20 and 2023; and

21 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as the Chair of Undergraduate Clinical
22 Education at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine - Georgia between 2006 and
23 2009; and

24 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as the Associate Dean of Undergraduate
25 Clinical Education at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine - Georgia between
26 2009 and 2010; and

27 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as the Dean and Chief Academic Officer
28 of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine - Georgia between 2010 and 2020; and

29 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as the Vice Provost at the Philadelphia
30 College of Osteopathic Medicine - Georgia (Suwannee Campus and Moultrie Campus)
31 between 2018 and 2020; and

32 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as the Dean and Chief Academic Officer
33 of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine - South Georgia (Moultrie Campus)
34 between 2020 and 2023; and

35 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III has served as a member, officer, and executive
36 committee member of the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine; and

37 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III served as the Chair of Board of Deans of the
38 American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine between 2022 and 2023; and

39 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III has served numerous organizations dedicated to
40 the betterment of medical education and practice, including the Bureau of Osteopathic
41 Education, Georgia Board of Physician Workforce, American Osteopathic Association,
42 National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners, American Osteopathic Board of Surgery,
43 the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons, Georgia Regents Evaluation and Assessment
44 Team, and the Medical Association of Georgia; and

45 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III has received numerous awards, including being
46 recognized as the Physician of the Year by the Georgia Osteopathic Medical Association in
47 2017, lifetime membership to the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons, and induction
48 into the American Osteopathic Association's Mentor Hall of Fame; and

49 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III has been married to Kathryn Mary Craver for 43
50 years; and

51 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III is the father to Hasco William Craver IV of
52 Newnan, Georgia, and Drew Thomas Craver of Athens, Georgia; and

53 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III is the grandfather of Drew Thomas Craver II,
54 Adeline Rhys Craver, Twyla Sinclair Craver, and Hasco William Craver V; and

55 WHEREAS, Dr. Hasco William Craver III, after more than 30 years of selfless dedication
56 to the support and enhancement of medical education and service in Georgia, will retire his
57 career on April 30, 2023.

58 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
59 recognize and commend Dr. Hasco William Craver III for his efficient, effective, unselfish,
60 and dedicated service to the State of Georgia; congratulate him upon the grand occasion of
61 his retirement; and extend the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

62 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
63 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dr. Hasco William
64 Craver III.