

## Senate Resolution 286

By: Senators James of the 35th, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Rhett of the 33rd, Seay of the 34th, Jones II of the 22nd and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating Alfreda Stephens Macon on the grand occasion of her 100th birthday; and  
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Alfreda Stephens Macon was born on February 6, 1915, in Bartow, Florida, and  
4 this year she enjoys the rare distinction of celebrating her 100th birthday; and

5 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided  
6 the foundation and framework of success in which her family members have developed and  
7 flourished; and

8 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high  
9 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, Alfreda possesses the vast wisdom which only comes through experience and  
11 the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the many challenges of life;  
12 and

13 WHEREAS, a resident of Moorestown, New Jersey, Alfreda is a person of magnanimous  
14 strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness;  
15 and

16 WHEREAS, a kind and generous woman, she brings joy and happiness to her many friends,  
17 neighbors, and family members who have the great pleasure of knowing her; and

18 WHEREAS, she has witnessed a dramatic change in the world over the course of her lifetime  
19 and we salute her contribution to its progress by her own hard work and good citizenship;  
20 and

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

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
25 congratulate Alfreda Stephens Macon on the grand occasion of her 100th birthday and extend  
26 their most sincere best wishes for her continued health and happiness.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
28 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Alfreda Stephens  
29 Macon.