

House Resolution 1730

By: Representatives Golick of the 40th, Willard of the 51st, Reeves of the 34th, Ehrhart of the 36th, Anulewicz of the 42nd, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Chief Justice P. Harris Hines on his outstanding public
2 service; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Chief Justice P. Harris Hines has long been recognized by the citizens of this
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
7 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
8 dramatically by his superlative service with the Supreme Court of Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, he was appointed to the Supreme Court of Georgia in 1995 by Governor Zell
10 Miller and sworn in as Chief Justice by Governor Nathan Deal on January 6, 2017; and

11 WHEREAS, Chief Justice Hines' significant organizational and leadership talents, his
12 remarkable patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs
13 of the citizens of this state have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and
14 associates; and

15 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
16 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

17 WHEREAS, Chief Justice Hines has served with honor and distinction with the Supreme
18 Court of Georgia, and his vision and unyielding commitment to truth and justice in this state
19 have set the standard for public service; and

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

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body recognize and commend Chief Justice P. Harris Hines for his
24 efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend
25 the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
28 Chief Justice P. Harris Hines.