

Senate Resolution 211

By: Senators Kennedy of the 18th, Lucas of the 26th, Robertson of the 29th, Gooch of the 51st and Strickland of the 17th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Mercer Law Moot Court Board for winning the 73rd Annual National
2 Moot Court Competition; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, held from January 30 to February 2, 2023, in New York City, the 73rd Annual
4 National Moot Court Competition was captured by the Mercer Law Moot Court Board; and

5 WHEREAS, Mercer Law students John Flowers, who received the Best Oral Advocate
6 award, and Zach Mullinax, who received the runner-up Best Oral Advocate award, were
7 recognized as the National Moot Court Competition Champions; and

8 WHEREAS, Mercer Law has built a legacy of excellence in Moot Court competitions and
9 developed students whose oral and written advocacy skills stand far beyond their peers; and

10 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
11 rhetorical ability, dedication, hard work, and unity of purpose and spirit of each member of
12 the team, as well as the astute direction of student coach Stephen Greenway, alumni coach
13 Elliza Guta, and director of advocacy Katie Powers; and

14 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
15 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
16 abundantly proper to call them champions.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 congratulate the Mercer Law Moot Court Board for winning the 73rd Annual National Moot
19 Court Competition and extend best wishes for their continued success.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the public and the
22 press.