

## Senate Resolution 664

By: Senators Wilkinson of the 50th, Anderson of the 24th, Black of the 8th, Walker III of the 20th, Kennedy of the 18th and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Georgia Cattlemen's Association for uniting and  
2 advancing Georgia's cattle industry; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, March 1, 2018, is Georgia Cattlemen's Association Day at the state capitol; and

4 WHEREAS, the Georgia Cattlemen's Association was founded and established in 1961; and

5 WHEREAS, the Georgia Cattlemen's Association has grown to 65 local chapters, with more  
6 than 5,500 members across the state; and

7 WHEREAS, the Georgia Cattlemen's Association is led by its president, Kristy Arnold, of  
8 Screven, Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, the cattle industry has a \$1 billion Farm Gate Value in the State of Georgia; and

10 WHEREAS, the cattle industry has a \$4 billion economic impact in the State of Georgia; and

11 WHEREAS, there are 15,000 cattle producers in the State of Georgia, and cattle are being  
12 produced in every county in the state.

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
14 recognize and commend the contributions of the Georgia Cattlemen's Association in the  
15 State of Georgia and commend this great organization for uniting and advancing Georgia's  
16 cattle industry.

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to  
18 make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Georgia  
19 Cattlemen's Association.