By: Representatives Williams of the 168th and Stephens of the 164th

A RESOLUTION

Commending and congratulating Mamie L. Axon Stevens Clay; and for other purposes. 1

2 WHEREAS, Mamie L. Axon Stevens Clay was born on March 14, 1922, in McIntosh,

3 Georgia, and this year she enjoys the rare distinction of celebrating her 95th birthday; and

4 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided 5 the foundation of success from which her family members have developed and flourished for 6 two generations as evidenced by her five wonderful children and five outstanding 7 grandchildren; 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, Mamie L. Axon Stevens Clay possesses the vast wisdom which only comes 11 through experience and the strength of character which is achieved through overcoming the

12 many challenges of life; and

13 WHEREAS, a resident of Savannah, Georgia, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with

14 an unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

WHEREAS, a kind and generous person, Mamie L. Axon Stevens Clay brings joy and 15 16 happiness to her family and to the many friends and neighbors who have the great pleasure 17 of knowing her; and

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

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

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 25 the members of this body commend Mamie L. Axon Stevens Clay for her unselfish,
- 26 dedicated, and loving service to the members of her family and community; congratulate her
- 27 on the remarkable occasion of her 95th birthday; and extend their most sincere best wishes
- 28 for continued health and happiness.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

30 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to

31 Mamie L. Axon Stevens Clay.