

Senate Resolution 323

By: Senators Echols of the 49th, Beach of the 21st, Watson of the 11th, Bearden of the 30th, Burns of the 23rd and others

ADOPTED SENATE**A RESOLUTION**

1 Creating the Senate Study Committee on Making Georgia the No. 1 State for Tourism; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Georgia has a robust history that demonstrates the resilience and strength of a
4 diverse population, from being a cultural center for Native American tribes, the last British
5 colony on mainland North America and playing a strategic role in the American Revolution,
6 through the Civil War and Reconstruction, surviving the Great Depression, and to the Civil
7 Rights movement; and

8 WHEREAS, Georgia hosts an amazing collection of local celebrations and festivals for both
9 locals and visitors to enjoy, such as the Atlanta Dogwood Festival, Oktoberfest in Helen, the
10 International Cherry Blossom Festival in Macon, and the Saint Patrick's Day Parade in
11 Savannah; and

12 WHEREAS, Georgia has a collection of fantastic sports teams for fans of all sports to cheer
13 on to victory, including but not limited to the Atlanta Falcons, Atlanta Braves, Atlanta
14 Hawks, Atlanta United, University of Georgia Bulldogs, and Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets;
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