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Senate Resolution 1514

By: Senator Rogers of the 21st

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the Georgia Young Republicans 2013 Committee for the Young Republican
- 2 National Convention and requesting that the Young Republican National Committee select
- 3 the State of Georgia as the site for its 2013 national convention; and for other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia has offered to host the 2013 Young Republican National
- 5 Convention, an opportunity which would provide a positive economic impact to our state;
- 6 and
- 7 WHEREAS, Atlanta, the capital city of Georgia, offers unparalleled convention facilities and
- 8 amenities with over 2.1 million square feet of total exhibit space; and
- 9 WHEREAS, visitors to the convention would experience Atlanta's dining, attractions,
- shopping, music, and nightlife, a mix of Southern hospitality with the excitement of a major
- 11 metropolitan city; and
- 12 WHEREAS, 80 percent of the United States population is within a two-hour flight, which
- makes Atlanta one of the most accessible destinations in the country and a convenient trip
- 14 for elected officials, delegates, and others wishing to experience the thrill of a Young
- 15 Republican convention; and
- 16 WHEREAS, the people of Georgia, renowned for their courtesy and hospitality, have
- 17 successfully demonstrated their ability to make all feel welcome and at home as hosts of
- 18 innumerable national and international events, including the 1996 Centennial Olympic
- 19 Games; and
- 20 WHEREAS, no Young Republican National Convention or meeting has been held in the
- 21 State of Georgia for 15 years; and

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WHEREAS, the members of this body and the people of Georgia stand ready to assist in

- bringing the 2013 Young Republican National Convention to this fine Southern state.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 25 request that the Young Republican National Committee select Georgia to host the 2013
- 26 Young Republican National Convention in Atlanta, Georgia.
- 27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 28 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Young Republican National
- 29 Committee.