

House Resolution 1586

By: Representative Henson of the 87<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Hadassah on the occasion of its 100th anniversary; and for  
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, Inc., was established  
4 on February 24, 1912; and

5 WHEREAS, Hadassah is the largest Jewish women's Zionist organization, with members in  
6 every Congressional district; and

7 WHEREAS, in Israel, Hadassah initiates and supports pace-setting health care, education,  
8 and youth institutions; and

9 WHEREAS, the Hadassah Medical Organization is the most advanced medical facility in the  
10 Middle East, renowned for its cutting-edge medical research; and

11 WHEREAS, in the United States, Hadassah enhances the quality of American and Jewish  
12 life through its education and Zionist youth programs; and

13 WHEREAS, a year-long celebration of Hadassah's 100th anniversary involving conferences,  
14 festivals, films, lectures, concerts, parties, religious services, and organization of trips to  
15 Israel will be held throughout the State of Georgia; and

16 WHEREAS, the Greater Atlanta Hadassah will commemorate the 100th anniversary on  
17 Sunday, February 26, 2012; and

18 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the contributions of Hadassah be  
19 appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body recognize the 100th anniversary of Hadassah, the Women's Zionist  
22 Organization of America, Inc., and extend their best wishes upon the occasion of its  
23 centennial.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Hadassah.