## House Resolution 301

By: Representatives Peake of the 141<sup>st</sup>, Knight of the 130<sup>th</sup>, Hill of the 22<sup>nd</sup>, Neal of the 2<sup>nd</sup>, Williams of the 119<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) in Georgia and

2 recognizing February 13, 2013, as NFIB/Georgia's Small Business Day at the capitol; and

- 3 for other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, NFIB is the nation's leading small business advocacy association, with offices
- 5 in Washington, D.C., and all 50 state capitals; and

6 WHEREAS, founded in 1943 as a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization, NFIB gives small and
7 independent business owners a voice in shaping the public policy issues that affect their

- 8 businesses; and
- 9 WHEREAS, NFIB's powerful network of grassroots activists sends their views directly to
- 10 state and federal lawmakers, thus playing a critical role in supporting America's free
- 11 enterprise system; and

12 WHEREAS, NFIB's mission is to promote and protect the right of its members to own,

13 operate, and grow their businesses; and

WHEREAS, NFIB/Georgia's membership of over 7,000 represents a constituency of small
businesses reaching every corner of the state.

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

17 the members of this body commend the National Federation of Independent Business in

- 18 Georgia for its work in serving small businesses and for its members' continued commitment
- 19 to enhancing the climate for free enterprise state-wide, and recognize February 13, 2013, as
- 20 NFIB/Georgia's Small Business Day at the capitol.

- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia Chapter of the
- 23 National Federation of Independent Business.