

House Resolution 1313

By: Representative Buckner of the 137th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 11, 2014, as Girl Scout Day at the state capitol; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the purpose of Girl Scouting is to inspire girls with the highest ideals of
4 character, conduct, patriotism, and service so that they may become happy and resourceful
5 citizens; and

6 WHEREAS, throughout the organization's distinguished history, Girl Scouting has instilled
7 millions of girls and women with the courage, confidence, and character to make the world
8 a better place; and

9 WHEREAS, through the Girl Scout Leadership Excellence program, girls develop the skills
10 that will serve them throughout their lives so that they may contribute to their communities;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, First Lady Sandra Deal serves as the Honorary Troop Leader of Troop 1912,
13 the honorary girl scout troop which recognizes the founding year of Girl Scouts and is a
14 bipartisan delegation of women members of the Georgia General Assembly established by
15 the Girl Scouts Councils of Historic Georgia and Greater Atlanta; and

16 WHEREAS, Girl Scouting takes an active role in increasing girls' awareness of the
17 opportunities in math, science, sports, technology, and many other fields of interest that can
18 expand their horizons; and

19 WHEREAS, for more than 100 years, Girl Scouting has served as a voice for girls in Georgia
20 while providing the opportunity to become better friends, stronger women, and empowered
21 leaders.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body recognize February 11, 2014, as Girl Scout Day at the state capitol
24 and commend and congratulate all the girls and women in Georgia who participate in Girl
25 Scouting.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the public and the press.