

House Resolution 1645

By: Representatives Buckner of the 137th, Fullerton of the 153rd, Oliver of the 82nd, Dawkins-Haigler of the 91st, Kaiser of the 59th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing March 13, 2014, as Girl Scout Day at the state capitol and inviting
2 representatives from the Girl Scouts of America organization to be recognized by the House
3 of Representatives; and for other purposes.

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

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

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

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

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

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

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize March 13, 2014, as Girl Scout Day at the state capitol;
25 commend and congratulate all the girls and women in Georgia who participate in Girl
26 Scouting; and invite representatives from the Girl Scouts of America organization to be
27 recognized by the House of Representatives at a date and time to be designated by the
28 Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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