

House Resolution 246

By: Representatives Bruce of the 61st, Frazier of the 126th, Hopson of the 153rd, Shannon of the 84th, Jackson of the 64th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing February 21, 2019, as National Coalition of 100 Black Women Day at the state
2 capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the mission of the National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., (NCBW) is
4 to advocate on behalf of black women and girls in order to promote leadership development
5 and gender equity in the areas of health, education, and economic empowerment; and

6 WHEREAS, their vision is for black women and girls to live in a world where
7 socio-economic inequity does not exist; and

8 WHEREAS, NCBW believes in gender equity, inclusion, respect, racial and social justice,
9 integrity and accountability, economic empowerment, and collaboration; and

10 WHEREAS, the current agenda for the NCBW is to focus on health, education, economic
11 empowerment, strategic alliances, and civic engagement; and

12 WHEREAS, NCBW wishes to promote the awareness of black culture, to develop the
13 potential within its members for effective leadership and participation in civic affairs, to take
14 action on specific issues of national and international importance, to cooperate with other
15 persons and organizations in order to achieve mutual goals, and to foster principles of equal
16 rights and opportunities; and

17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the efforts of this exemplary organization
18 toward promoting equality among Georgia's citizens be appropriately recognized.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body recognize February 21, 2019, as National Coalition of 100 Black
21 Women, Inc., Day at the state capitol.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
23 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
24 public and the press.