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3 By Representatives Ison, Collins, Hall, Nordgren, Wilcox,
4 Coleman-Evans, Warren, Boyd, Beech, Clarke, Moore (M),
5 McClurkin and Weaver
6 RFD: Rules
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8 RECOGNIZING GIRL SCOUT ADVOCACY DAY ON MARCH 13,
9 2014.

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11 WHEREAS, March 13 is Girl Scout Day at the Alabama
12 Legislature; and

13 WHEREAS, Honorary Girl Scout Troop 1912, named for
14 the year that the Girl Scouts was founded, is a bipartisan
15 delegation of women and men of the Alabama House of
16 Representatives and the Alabama Senate established by Girl
17 Scouts of North-Central Alabama and Girl Scouts of Southern
18 Alabama to educate our great state's legislative body about
19 issues affecting girls and young women; and

20 WHEREAS, for more than 100 years, Girl Scouts has
21 been engaged in girls' lives and has been a leader and
22 resource regarding girls' growth and development; and

23 WHEREAS, through Girl Scouting, girls can develop in
24 an environment where they build confidence, have opportunities
25 to try new things, cultivate friendships, connect with their
26 communities, and obtain the skills they need to become
27 successful leaders; and

1 WHEREAS, Girl Scouts is committed to increasing
2 girls' involvement in science, technology, engineering and
3 math (STEM); building girls' leadership skills; increasing
4 girls' financial literacy, and promoting safe and healthy
5 living by reducing bullying and relational aggression; and

6 WHEREAS, through the Girl Scout Leadership
7 Experience, girls 5-17 discover themselves and their values,
8 connect with other girls, and take action to make the world a
9 better place; now therefore,

10 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
11 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That March 13, 2014, is hereby
12 designated as Girl Scouts Advocacy Day In Alabama, and we
13 proudly recognize the commitment Girl Scouting has made to
14 support the leadership development of Alabama girls.