

112TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

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Designating the week of September 24 through September 28, 2012, as  
“National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week”.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. GRAHAM submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the  
Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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# RESOLUTION

Designating the week of September 24 through September  
28, 2012, as “National Historically Black Colleges and  
Universities Week”.

Whereas there are 105 historically Black colleges and univer-  
sities in the United States;

Whereas historically Black colleges and universities provide  
the quality education essential to full participation in a  
complex, highly technological society;

Whereas historically Black colleges and universities have a  
rich heritage and have played a prominent role in the his-  
tory of the United States;

Whereas historically Black colleges and universities allow tal-  
ented and diverse students, many of whom represent un-

derserved populations, to attain their full potential through higher education; and

Whereas the achievements and goals of historically Black colleges and universities are deserving of national recognition: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2           (1) designates the week of September 24  
3 through September 28, 2012, as “National Histori-  
4 cally Black Colleges and Universities Week”; and

5           (2) calls on the people of the United States and  
6 interested groups to observe the week with appro-  
7 priate ceremonies, activities, and programs to dem-  
8 onstrate support for historically Black colleges and  
9 universities in the United States.