

House Resolution 15

By: Representatives Hugley of the 141st and Willis of the 55th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending The Links, Incorporated, and recognizing February 6, 2023, as Links Day at
2 the state capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, The Links, Incorporated, is an international, nonprofit organization of
4 professional women of color who are influential decision makers and individual achievers
5 who have made a difference in their communities and in the world; and

6 WHEREAS, The Links, Incorporated, was founded in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in 1946
7 with more than 15,000 members and has 288 chapters nationwide, with 15 chapters in
8 Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, Links members contribute more than 500,000 documented community service
10 hours annually throughout the United States and the world; and

11 WHEREAS, three members of the Georgia General Assembly, Representative Inga Willis,
12 Representative Carolyn Hugley, and Alumna Member Senator Freddie Powell Sims, are
13 distinguished members of The Links, Incorporated; and

14 WHEREAS, on February 6, 2023, members of The Links, Incorporated, from across the
15 country will gather at their state capitols to encourage support of legislation and programs;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Georgia chapters of The Links, Incorporated, are championing education,
18 mental health, and juvenile criminal justice bills, which will connect the missing links
19 together for families and communities in Georgia, as well as legislation which supports
20 reform programs for our citizens in the State of Georgia.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend The Links, Incorporated, for its work to improve the
23 quality of life in the state and nation, welcome Southern Area Director Sylvia Perry, and
24 recognize February 6, 2023, as Links Day at the state capitol.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to The
27 Links, Incorporated.