## H. J. RES. 75

## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Committee discharged

## **JOINT RESOLUTION**

Designating January 16, 1994, as "National Good Teen Day".

- Whereas Salem City Schools in Salem, Ohio, have proclaimed January 16, 1992, as "Good Teen Day";
- Whereas there are more than twenty-four million teenagers in the United States according to the 1990 Census;
- Whereas our Nation's teenagers represent an important part of our society, and the many physical and emotional changes and character-building experiences which teenagers go through are an important concern;
- Whereas it is easy to stereotype teenagers as either those who have problems or those who excel;
- Whereas teenagers should not simply be recognized for their intelligence, abilities, skills and talents, but rather for the good which is inherent in all human beings;

Whereas as unique individuals, teenagers are encouraged to esteem the good as well as the potential that is within each of them;

Whereas a day should be created to focus on the positive qualities in America's youth; and

Whereas teenagers are the future of this great country: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives
- 2 of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 That January 16, 1994, is designated as "National Good
- 4 Teen Day", and the President is authorized and requested
- 5 to issue a proclamation calling on the people of the United
- 6 States to observe such day by recognizing the teenagers
- 7 of the United States and by participating in appropriate
- 8 ceremonies and activities.

Passed the House of Representatives November 8, 1993.

Attest: DONNALD K. ANDERSON,

Clerk.