

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# S. J. RES. 21

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 6, 1993

Referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Civil Service

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## **JOINT RESOLUTION**

To designate the week beginning September 19, 1993 as “National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week”.

Whereas there are 104 historically black colleges and universities in the United States;

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

Whereas black colleges and universities have a rich heritage and have played a prominent role in American history;

Whereas such institutions have allowed many underprivileged students to attain their full potential through higher education; and

Whereas the achievements and goals of the historically black colleges and universities are deserving of national recognition: 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 the week beginning September 19, 1993, is des-  
4 ignated as “National Historically Black Colleges and Uni-  
5 versities Week” and the President of the United States  
6 is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling  
7 upon the people of the United States and interested  
8 groups to observe each such week with appropriate cere-  
9 monies, activities and programs, thereby demonstrating  
10 support for historically black colleges and universities in  
11 the United States.

Passed the Senate August 5 (legislative day, June  
30), 1993.

Attest:

WALTER J. STEWART,

*Secretary.*