

1 HJR58
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3 By Representatives Ison, Fincher, Sessions, Buskey, Bracy and
4 Mitchell
5 RFD: Rules
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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,
3 RECOGNIZING AN ANNUAL CAMELLIA JAPONICA DAY IN THE
4 STATE OF ALABAMA.
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6 WHEREAS, the Camellia Japonica has been Alabama's
7 state flower since 1959 and, in recognition thereof, it is
8 encouraged that a designated Annual Camellia Japonica Day be
9 celebrated in the State of Alabama on January 7th during its
10 winter blooming season; and

11 WHEREAS, to encourage residents and visitors to
12 enjoy this beautiful blooming season, there are numerous
13 public garden displays, camellia shows, and other celebrations
14 throughout the State of Alabama, which provide opportunities
15 for countless individuals to participate in this fun occasion;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, the people of the State of Alabama are
18 strongly encouraged to enjoy the State of Alabama's flower,
19 the Camellia Japonica, during a designated annual winter
20 celebration; now therefore,

21 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
22 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we herein recognize an annual
23 Camellia Japonica Day in the State of Alabama on January 7th,
24 and, by copy of this resolution for presentation and display,
25 encourage all Alabamians to join in this special occasion.

