

House Resolution 1502

By: Representative Jones of the 60th

A RESOLUTION

1 Urging the senior living industry to study and implement rent control measures; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the U.S. Census Bureau estimates that more than 20 percent of Georgia's
4 population will be 60 or older by the year 2030, an increase of almost 34 percent from 2012;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, senior living rental rates are growing at a near-record pace, according to
7 National Investment Center for Seniors Housing and Care (NIC); and

8 WHEREAS, measures should be identified and taken to ensure that no Georgian has to make
9 a tough choice between paying for medicine and paying for rent.

10 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
11 the members of this body urge the senior living industry to study and implement rent control
12 measures.

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
14 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available to members of the public
15 and the press.