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2015 SENATE RESOLUTION 3

March 17, 2015 – Introduced by Senators L. TAYLOR and HARRIS DODD. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1 **Relating to:** commending Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

2 Whereas, on January 13, 1913, on the campus of Howard University, a group
3 of 22 women who were social justice advocates manifested the vision of Delta Sigma
4 Theta Sorority, Inc., and envisioned a world in which women could define, champion,
5 and lead in the effort to address social issues of the day; and

6 Whereas, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., while participating in the
7 monumental Woman Suffrage Parade of 1913 in Washington, D.C., fought and won
8 its initial battle not to walk at the back of the march, the section that had been
9 reserved for Negro supporters, and understood that the sorority would be called to
10 fight for injustice on many fronts; and

11 Whereas, using its collective strength to promote academic excellence, Delta
12 Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., gave rise to an expansive network of organizational
13 chapters, in every corner of the country, touching the shores of many countries
14 abroad, to further its mission of service; and

