

House Resolution

A resolution designating the week of September 15-19,
 2014, as "Florida Behavior Analysis Week" in the State
 of Florida.

WHEREAS, behavior analysis-based procedures have been shown
 to reduce problem behaviors and increase appropriate skills for
 individuals with developmental disabilities, autism, and related
 disorders, and

WHEREAS, behavior analysis is a discipline concerned with
 the application of behavioral science in real-world settings
 such as clinics or schools with the aim of addressing socially
 important issues such as behavior problems and learning, and

WHEREAS, behavior analysis is one of the few proven methods
 for effective early intervention with autism, and

WHEREAS, behavior analysis is a science-based, cost-
 effective approach for training teachers, parents, and
 caregivers to prevent and solve serious behavior problems, and

WHEREAS, behavior analysis has demonstrated its
 effectiveness for many applications, including the treatment of
 individuals with autism, teaching basic self-help skills and
 language to persons with developmental disabilities, and helping
 foster parents to lovingly raise emotionally difficult children,

NOW, THEREFORE,

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26 | Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
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30 | "Florida Behavior Analysis Week" in the State of Florida.