

1 SJR111  
2 201960-3  
3 By Senators Smitherman, Albritton, Allen, Barfoot, Beasley,  
4 Burkette, Butler, Chambliss, Chesteen, Coleman-Madison, Dunn,  
5 Elliott, Figures, Givhan, Gudger, Holley, Jones, Livingston,  
6 Marsh, McClendon, Melson, Orr, Price, Reed, Roberts,  
7 Sanders-Fortier, Scofield, Sessions, Shelnut, Singleton,  
8 Stutts, Waggoner, Ward, Whatley and Williams  
9 RFD:  
10 First Read: 31-MAY-19

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4 ENROLLED, SJR111,

5 CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING DR. MICHAEL WILSON ON  
6 BEING NAMED THE 2019 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
7 PRINCIPALS NATIONAL DISTINGUISHED PRINCIPAL FROM ALABAMA.

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9 WHEREAS, Dr. Michael Wilson, principal of Glen Iris  
10 Elementary School in the Birmingham City School System, was  
11 named the 2019 National Distinguished Principal by the  
12 National Association of Elementary School Principals; and

13 WHEREAS, the NAESP National Distinguished Principal  
14 program was established to recognize elementary and middle  
15 school level principals who set high standards for  
16 instruction, student achievement, character, and climate for  
17 the students, families, and staffs in their learning  
18 communities; and

19 WHEREAS, Dr. Michael Wilson has been a principal  
20 since 2000; he has been at Glen Iris Elementary School since  
21 2006; he has been involved in many training opportunities  
22 including CLAS Certified Instructional Leader and NAESP  
23 National Mentor Certification; and

24 WHEREAS, he always puts his students first and works  
25 tirelessly to create an atmosphere that allows teachers to be

1 successful; his leadership has had a positive impact on his  
2 school and the school system for its students, teachers, and  
3 parents; and

4 WHEREAS, Dr. Wilson's many accomplishments include  
5 creating the Glen Iris Outdoor Classroom and initiating a  
6 partnership with the Jones Valley Teaching Farm and working  
7 with the Afterschool Alliance to promote quality educational  
8 experiences; he has spoken to legislators at the state and  
9 national levels to promote legislation that supports student  
10 learning; he led his staff in writing curriculum guides for  
11 each grade level that included objectives for each standard  
12 and suggestions for activities; teachers meet weekly to  
13 collaborate and refine the curriculum guides; and

14 WHEREAS, Dr. Wilson works with his school's core  
15 management team to keep the focus on the students while  
16 managing a large school; he works with community partnerships  
17 to provide needed resources for his students; he works with  
18 the community to provide training for the needs of parents; he  
19 strives to be present and mobile when needed; and

20 WHEREAS, Dr. Wilson provides encouragement to his  
21 staff, while maintaining the focus on the individual students  
22 served; now therefore,

23 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
24 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we hereby congratulate and  
25 commend Dr. Michael Wilson upon his selection as 2019 NAESP

1 National Distinguished Principal from Alabama, and we offer  
2 this resolution in admiration and appreciation, along with  
3 best wishes for all future endeavors.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution  
originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

Patrick Harris,  
Secretary.

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House of Representatives  
Adopted: 31-MAY-19

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By: Senator Smitherman