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3 By Representatives Curtis, Morrow, Black and Irons
4 RFD: Rules
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8 COMMENDING THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA ON ITS
9 180TH ANNIVERSARY.

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11 WHEREAS, on January 11, 2010, the University of
12 North Alabama celebrated its 180th anniversary; and

13 WHEREAS, in its 180 years, the university has been
14 known by many different names, including Wesleyan University,
15 State Normal School, State Normal College, Florence State
16 Teachers College, Florence State University, and finally the
17 University of North Alabama; in that time, its affiliation has
18 gone from religious to explicitly public, but it has never
19 abandoned its central role in the life and culture of the
20 region; and

21 WHEREAS, the University of North Alabama is home to
22 over 7,000 students and dozens of undergraduate and graduate
23 academic programs; its impact on the community and the state
24 over these 180 years cannot be overstated; now therefore,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
26 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we hereby commend the
27 University of North Alabama on the occasion of its 180th

1 anniversary and that, by copy of this resolution, we offer our
2 sincerest thanks for the contributions that the university has
3 made to the state and extend our sincerest good wishes for
4 continued growth and advancement in the future.