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14 Newton (C), Newton (D), Oden, Page, Payne, Robinson (J),
15 Robinson (O), Rogers, Salaam, Sanderford, Scott, Sherer,
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19 RFD: Rules

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8 HONORING ALL ALABAMA TEACHERS AND EDUCATIONAL
9 SUPPORT PERSONNEL.

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11 WHEREAS, the Alabama Legislature, the Alabama Sports
12 Festival, and the Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness,
13 take great pride in continuing the "Honoring Our Heroes"
14 program, a salute to all Alabama's teachers and educational
15 support personnel who have served, taught, and influenced
16 Alabama's children, and who continue to do so; and

17 WHEREAS, the Alabama Sports Festival, a nonprofit
18 organization, held its first Alabama Summer Olympic Games in
19 1983, and will celebrate its 28th Anniversary in 2010; and in
20 keeping with its philosophy of instilling Academic Excellence
21 and Good Citizenship to the youth of Alabama, having awarded
22 some \$200,000 in academic scholarships, the organization
23 adamantly opposes drug and alcohol use, instills ethical
24 values, and encourages pride in God and Country; and

25 WHEREAS, in a continuing effort to honor all Alabama
26 teachers and educational support personnel, the Alabama
27 Legislature, the Alabama Sports Festival, and the Governor's

1 Commission on Physical Fitness are partnering to express their
2 profound appreciation and gratitude by establishing the
3 Alabama Teachers and Educational Support Personnel Day, June
4 18, 2010; and

5 WHEREAS, this occasion coincides with Opening
6 Ceremonies of the 2010 Alabama Sports Festival XXVIII;
7 included will be a momentous tribute to all Alabama teachers
8 and educational support personnel, which will be televised
9 live statewide from the Birmingham-Jefferson Civic Center
10 complex, Friday, June 18, 2010, beginning at 7:00 P.M.; and

11 WHEREAS, it is appropriate that all Alabamians
12 recognize and commend the tremendous service performed by
13 teachers and educational support personnel in helping to
14 educate and mold the lives of our children in Alabama; now
15 therefore,

16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
17 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That on behalf of the citizens of
18 our great state, we join the Alabama Sports Festival and the
19 Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness in recognizing and
20 honoring all Alabamians who continue to serve or have served
21 honorably as teachers and educational support personnel.