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8 COMMENDING HORIZON SHIPBUILDING, INC., FOR RECEIVING
9 THE 2010 GOVERNOR'S TRADE EXCELLENCE AWARD.

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11 WHEREAS, we note with great pride that Horizon
12 Shipbuilding, Inc., has been honored with the 2010 Trade
13 Excellence Award by Governor Bob Riley; and

14 WHEREAS, founded in 1997, Horizon is a family-owned
15 company that designs, constructs, and repairs ships, boats,
16 and barges for a client base that includes the governments of
17 the United States and a number of foreign countries, as well
18 as the offshore oil industry and domestic tug and barge
19 operators; and

20 WHEREAS, Horizon, which employs 230 people, is
21 renowned for its quality workmanship and attention to detail;
22 this sterling reputation has facilitated Horizon's entry into
23 the export markets of four nations; and

24 WHEREAS, in 21st century America, the promotion of
25 foreign trade is vital to the employment prospects of millions
26 of Americans; visionary exporters like Horizon Shipbuilding
27 are securing our nation's economic future; now therefore,

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
2 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we hereby commend Horizon
3 Shipbuilding, Inc., on receiving the 2010 Governor's Trade
4 Excellence Award and that, by copy of this resolution, we
5 extend our best wishes for every future success.