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3 By Representatives McCampbell, Allen, Baker (A), Baker (L),
4 Ball, Bandy, Barton, Beasley, Beech, Bentley, Black, Boothe,
5 Boyd, Bridges, Brown, Buskey, Canfield, Clouse, Coleman,
6 Collier, Curtis, Davis, DeMarco, Drake, Dukes, England, Faust,
7 Fields, Fincher, Ford, Galliher, Gaston, Gipson, Gordon,
8 Graham, Grantland, Greenson, Grimes, Guin, Hall, Hammett,
9 Hammon, Harper, Hill, Hilliard, Hinshaw, Holmes, Howard,
10 Hubbard, Hurst, Irons, Ison, Jackson, Johnson, Kennedy,
11 Knight, Laird, Letson, Lewis, Lindsey, Love, Martin, Mask,
12 McAdory, McClammy, McClendon, McClurkin, McCutcheon, McDaniel,
13 McLaughlin, McMillan, Millican, Mitchell, Moore (M), Moore
14 (P), Morrow, Newton (C), Newton (D), Oden, Page, Payne,
15 Robinson (J), Robinson (O), Rogers, Salaam, Sanderford, Scott,
16 Sherer, Shiver, Spicer, Taylor, Thigpen, Thomas (E), Thomas
17 (J), Todd, Treadaway, Vance, Ward, Warren, White, Williams
18 (J), Williams (P), Wood and Wren
19 RFD: Rules
20 First Read: 23-MAR-10

8 CONGRATULATING THE SUMTER COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS
9 BASKETBALL TEAM ON WINNING THE CLASS 3A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.
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11 WHEREAS, it is with pride and pleasure that
12 commendations and congratulations are extended to the Sumter
13 County High School Girls Basketball Team on winning the 2010
14 Class 3A Basketball Championship with a thrilling 53-50
15 victory over the top-ranked Madison Academy at the Birmingham
16 Jefferson Convention Complex on February 26, 2010; and

17 WHEREAS, Sumter County High School has a proud
18 history of achievement, the Girls Basketball Team having won
19 the very first 3A State Championship in 1978 under the
20 leadership of Coach Bobbie Pope, and this successful season
21 brought fame and honor once again to the girls basketball
22 program, the school, and the community; and

23 WHEREAS, for the 2009-2010 season, the team set and
24 achieved the goals of becoming 3A Area 6 Champions, 3A Central
25 Sub-Region Tournament Champions, and 3A State Tournament
26 Champions, compiling an impressive 26-3 record along the way;
27 and

1 WHEREAS, inspirational leadership and expert
2 training were provided by Head Coach Eddie Jackson and
3 Assistant Coaches Edith Scott and Winnie Presswood; the
4 talented roster included Doretha Holloway, Katia May, Jamesha
5 Wathins, Shanecia Noble, Shaquala Bryant, Juanice Newton,
6 Juanita Newton, Courtney Harris, Denetria Ruffin, Alfondria
7 Brown, Annette Ewing, Jalicia Nixon, Mecades Ivory, Ricketta
8 Hull, Haven Moore, and Darielle Ireland; and

9 WHEREAS, the success of this team is due to its
10 mastery of fundamentals, excellent teamwork, and strong
11 competitive spirit, as well as the enthusiastic support of the
12 players' parents and the school's administrators, faculty, and
13 students, along with the many loyal fans in the community; now
14 therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
16 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Sumter County High School is
17 honored and commended for the outstanding achievement of
18 winning the 2010 Class 3A Girls Basketball Championship, and
19 by copy of this resolution to Principal Richard Kelly for
20 appropriate presentation and display, we extend our heartiest
21 congratulations and best wishes for continuing success.