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CONGRATULATING PAT BOYD RUMORE ON THE PUBLICATION OF
HER NEW BOOK ON THE HISTORY OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION IN
ALABAMA.

WHEREAS, we note with great pride that Pat Boyd
Rumore has written a new book, From Power to Service, on the
history of the legal profession in Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Pat Boyd Rumore's volume traces the legal
tradition in Alabama to its roots in the appointment of the
first territorial judge in St. Stephens by President Thomas
Jefferson and follows its development to the present day,
where more than 16,000 lawyers practice in the State; and

WHEREAS, From Power to Service, which was
cosponsored by the History and Archives Committee of the
Alabama State Bar and the Alabama Bench and Bar Historical
Society, is a worthy treatment of the history of one of
Alabama's proudest and most honorable professions; now
therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we heartily congratulate Pat

1 Boyd Rumore on the publication of From Power to Service and
2 that, by copy of this resolution, we extend our warm best
3 wishes for every future success.