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3       By Senator Barron  
4       RFD:  
5       First Read: 08-APR-10

DESIGNATING THE SECTION OF ALABAMA HIGHWAY 35  
BETWEEN THE CITY LIMITS OF FORT PAYNE AND THE DEKALB  
COUNTY/CHEROKEE COUNTY LINE IN DEKALB COUNTY THE RANDY OWEN  
HIGHWAY.

WHEREAS, the Alabama Legislature wishes to  
commemorate the contributions of Mr. Randy Owen to the music  
industry and the community by naming a highway in his honor;  
and

WHEREAS, a native of Fort Payne, Mr. Owen is the  
lead singer and rhythm guitarist of legendary music group  
Alabama; his signature lyrical style has charmed generations  
of country and popular music fans in the State of Alabama and  
around the world; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Owen's extraordinary musicianship is  
matched only by his commitment to the community; he has been a  
fixture in civic, political, and philanthropic affairs in  
Alabama for decades; we are privileged by the opportunity to  
recognize this exemplary Alabamian; now therefore,

1                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
2       HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the section of Alabama Highway  
3       35 between the city limits of Fort Payne and the DeKalb  
4       County/Cherokee County line in DeKalb County is hereby  
5       designated the Randy Owen Highway and that the proper  
6       officials are requested to place and maintain markers  
7       designating the Randy Owen Highway as provided in this  
8       resolution.

9                   BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this  
10      resolution be provided as a memento of this honorary  
11      designation by the Alabama Legislature.