

1 HJR169
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3 By Representative Givan
4 RFD: Rules
5 First Read: 22-MAR-11

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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,

3 HONORING REVEREND TOMMY G. SMITH.

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5 WHEREAS, highest commendation is herein extended to
6 Reverend Tommy G. Smith in recognition of his many years of
7 service to God and mankind; and

8 WHEREAS, Reverend Smith has been the pastor of Mt.
9 Hebron Baptist Church - Thomas in Birmingham, Alabama, for 25
10 years, and his dedicated service has extended to the
11 community, state, and nation; and

12 WHEREAS, he attended Alabama Christian College, the
13 Birmingham Baptist Bible College, and Briarwood Theological
14 Seminary and has completed course work in Marriage and
15 Counseling and Child Psychology; in addition, he served his
16 country with honor and distinction in the United States Army
17 and attended the United States Army Clerical School in Fort
18 Knox, Kentucky; and

19 WHEREAS, under his leadership, Mt. Hebron Baptist
20 Church has grown in numbers, spiritual strength, and community
21 outreach, with the addition of many new programs; and

22 WHEREAS, he has earned respect for his exceptional
23 abilities and unwavering commitment to serve others; through
24 the years and in his endeavors, he has been aided by his

1 devoted wife and helpmate, Ella M. Smith, and they are the
2 proud parents of a daughter, Tonya Smith; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Reverend Tommy G. Smith is honored and commended in recognition of his many years of dedicated service to God and mankind.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be presented to him on the occasion of his 25th Year Pastoral Anniversary Celebration at Mt. Hebron Baptist Church - Thomas on March 27, 2011, as evidence of the esteem in which he is held by the people of the State of Alabama.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
9 and was adopted by the House 24-MAR-11.

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Greg Pappas
Clerk

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Senate

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