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3       By Representatives Boman and Merrill  
4       RFD:  
5       First Read: 31-MAR-11

8 COMMENDING WALDON TUCKER UPON HIS INDUCTION INTO THE  
9 2011 ALABAMA HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS HALL OF FAME.  
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11 WHEREAS, it is with immense pride and pleasure that  
12 we recognize Waldon Tucker upon his induction into the 2011  
13 Alabama High School Sports Hall of Fame, which recognizes  
14 athletics as an integral and extremely important part of  
15 learning teamwork, discipline, and good sportsmanship; and

16 WHEREAS, among the prominent individuals selected  
17 for induction into the 21st class of the Alabama High School  
18 Sports Hall of Fame is Coach Tucker, a native of Linden,  
19 Alabama, a graduate of the University of West Alabama, who  
20 played on the 1971 Livingston University NAIA National  
21 Championship team; and

22 WHEREAS, Coach Tucker, who is the football coach at  
23 Fayette County High School, became the state's all-time  
24 winningest prep football coach last season; his overall record  
25 through his quarterfinal playoff elimination loss is  
26 309-126-3; of those, 284 wins are in the Alabama High School  
27 Athletic Association; and

1           WHEREAS, Coach Tucker was named Class 2A Coach of  
2     the Year at Gordo in 1980 after a 13-0 state championship run;  
3     he was named 5A Coach of the Year in 1989, and 4A Coach of the  
4     Year in 1996; and

5           WHEREAS, coaching at Fayette County since 1984,  
6     Coach Tucker guided the 1996 team to a 15-0 season and the  
7     Class 4A title; and

8           WHEREAS, in addition to football, Coach Tucker also  
9     served as a Fayette City Councilman for eight years; and

10          WHEREAS, indeed, Coach Tucker is an exemplar of  
11     extraordinary leadership ability and significant achievement,  
12     who is entirely deserving of induction into the 2011 Alabama  
13     High School Sports Hall of Fame; now therefore,

14          BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
15     THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That in recognition and gratitude  
16     for outstanding contributions to athletics, and upon his  
17     induction into the 2011 Alabama High School Sports Hall of  
18     Fame, we hereby most highly honor Waldon Tucker to whom a copy  
19     of this resolution is provided with tribute and esteem.