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8 URGING THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY (TVA) TO MEET
9 WITH THE TENNESSEE VALLEY LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION ABOUT WEED
10 CONTROL IN THE TENNESSEE RIVER BASIN.

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12 WHEREAS, the Tennessee Valley Association (TVA) has
13 federal responsibility for managing invasive aquatic weeds in
14 the Tennessee River Basin; and

15 WHEREAS, the TVA has reduced its aquatic weed
16 control in the river basin to only those areas having public
17 access; and

18 WHEREAS, unmanaged aquatic weed growth in the river
19 basin creates and worsens health, environmental, and economic
20 problems; now therefore,

21 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
22 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That by copy of this resolution, we
23 urge the TVA to meet with the Tennessee Valley State
24 Legislative Delegation and other interested parties to discuss
25 adequate aquatic weed control in the Tennessee River Basin.