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3 By Representative Knight
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8 CONGRATULATING THE ALABAMA STATE UNIVERSITY LADY
9 HORNETS ON WINNING THE 2011 SWAC GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

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11 WHEREAS, commendations and congratulations are
12 herein extended to the Alabama State University Lady Hornets
13 on winning the 2011 SWAC Golf Championship, highlighting a
14 year of outstanding achievements for the team and Coach Gary
15 Grandison; and

16 WHEREAS, the tournament victory marked the first
17 SWAC Championship for the women's golf tournament, and Coach
18 Grandison won well-deserved recognition by being named the
19 2011 SWAC Women's Golf Coach of the Year; and

20 WHEREAS, ASU entered the second day of the
21 tournament trailing Jackson State University by one point, but
22 managed to score a convincing victory in the finale,
23 outdistancing the competition by seven strokes; and

24 WHEREAS, it was a total team effort for the Lady
25 Hornets, as evidenced by the statistics: Amelie Buhl was the
26 SWAC first-place finisher, with a two-day total of 152; Aileen
27 Meredith was second with 159, Jessica Williams tied for 8th

1 with 174, and Taai Hubbard and Lyndsey McCall tied for 15th
2 with 186 each; and

3 WHEREAS, the Lady Hornets continued their winning
4 streak by adding another coveted title, winning the National
5 Women's Collegiate Golf Classic at Stone Mountain, Georgia, on
6 the weekend of April 22-24, finishing with a 671 score and
7 defeating the other six highly rated teams; and

8 WHEREAS, next on the agenda, the Lady Hornets will
9 head to the Regionals of the NCAA Tournament in Daytona Beach
10 Florida on May 5-7, 2011; 24 teams will compete in the
11 prestigious tournament; and

12 WHEREAS, the Alabama State University Golf Team has
13 demonstrated an unwavering commitment to excellence and is the
14 source of justifiable pride to the University and the entire
15 State of Alabama; now therefore,

16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
17 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we honor and commend the
18 Alabama State University Lady Hornets and their coach and, by
19 copy of this resolution to the University for appropriate
20 display, we convey our heartiest congratulations for winning
21 the 2011 SWAC Championship and the National Women's Collegiate
22 Golf Classic, along with best wishes for continuing success.