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8 RECOGNIZING THE OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE
9 STUDENTS IN FREE ENTERPRISE COMPETITION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF
10 ALABAMA.

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12 WHEREAS, it is with highest commendation that we
13 recognize the Students in Free Enterprise (SIFE) Team at The
14 University of Alabama for its outstanding accomplishments; for
15 the fifth consecutive year this team has won the regional
16 competition; and

17 WHEREAS, the SIFE is an international nonprofit
18 organization; its university affiliates help students develop
19 leadership and entrepreneurial skills through projects that
20 benefit lives in their communities and around the world; and

21 WHEREAS, the competition project was named ABC,
22 which stands for Academics, Business, and Culture; it involved
23 the SIFE team members working with eighth grade students at
24 Brookwood Middle School towards the goal of better developing
25 their written and verbal communication skills; the project
26 involved a cultural exchange blog between the Brookwood
27 students and middle school students in Hangzhou, China; and

1 WHEREAS, classified as a student leadership
2 organization at UA, SIFE students can earn credits for
3 participation; most students participate as an extracurricular
4 activity; and

5 WHEREAS, the national SIFE competition will be May
6 10-12, 2011, in Minneapolis, Minnesota; and

7 WHEREAS, dedicated to promoting the free enterprise
8 system in a global market, the 17-member, award-winning
9 University of Alabama SIFE Team has earned the respect and
10 admiration of all those who know of its exemplary efforts and
11 appreciate its success; now therefore,

12 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
13 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That in recognition of the
14 outstanding accomplishments of the Students in Free Enterprise
15 Team at The University of Alabama, highest praise is herein
16 extended and a copy of this resolution shall be provided for
17 appropriate presentation with our sincere best wishes for all
18 future endeavors.