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3 By Representative Ford
4 RFD:
5 First Read: 24-MAY-11

8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MRS. OLA MAE BATTLES.
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10 WHEREAS, with profound sorrow and regret, we receive
11 news of the death of Mrs. Ola Mae Battles of Gadsden, Alabama,
12 on May 9, 2011, at the age of 95 years; and

13 WHEREAS, the passing of Mrs. Battles leaves a void
14 in the lives of her loving family and her many friends; she
15 was a member of Word of Life Church in Attalla for more than
16 35 years; and

17 WHEREAS, preceding her in death were her husband,
18 Gramling Battles; parents, George and Mary Sitz; children,
19 Barbara and Larry; grandson, Craig; brothers and sisters,
20 Doris, Curtis, Winfred, Gertrude, Bertha Jo, and George, Jr.;
21 and

22 WHEREAS, she is survived by her children, Frances E.
23 Payne, Charles (Doris) Battles, Judith (Jimmy) Reynolds, Danny
24 (Pat) Battles, and Arnold Battles; 14 grandchildren; 19
25 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; sistrs,
26 Estelle Chappell, Martha Baugh, and Carolyn Smith; and several
27 nieces and nephews; and

1 WHEREAS, Mrs. Battle was a valued member of the
2 community; although her presence will be missed, her memory
3 will be cherished in the hearts and minds of those who were
4 fortunate to know her; now therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
6 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the death of Mrs. Ola Mae
7 Battles is recorded with deep sadness, and this resolution is
8 offered in tribute to her life, along with heartfelt sympathy
9 to her grieving family.