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3 By Representative Wallace
4 RFD: Rules
5 First Read: 03-APR-12

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4 COMMENDING CORPORAL ROBERT STANLEY BLAND ON BEING
5 NAMED OFFICER OF THE YEAR.
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7 WHEREAS, commendations and congratulations are
8 herein proudly conveyed to Corporal Robert Stanley Bland of
9 the Clanton Police Department on being selected 2010 Officer
10 of the Year; and

11 WHEREAS, Officer of the Year is presented to an
12 officer for outstanding achievement that brings credit to the
13 department and which involves performance well above that
14 which is required by an officer's basic assignment; the
15 criteria include leadership, attendance, productivity,
16 judgment, decisiveness, and sensitivity; and

17 WHEREAS, prior to embarking upon his career in law
18 enforcement, Corporal Bland served his country with honor and
19 distinction in the United States Army; and

20 WHEREAS, Corporal Bland began his dedicated career
21 in law enforcement in 2001 as a Corrections Officer and
22 Reserve Deputy with the Chilton County Sheriff's Office; in
23 2004, he received his APOST certification from the Jefferson
24 County Reserve Academy; and

25 WHEREAS, Corporal Bland joined the Jemison Police
26 Department in 2004 and served the citizens of Jemison as a
27 Detective and later as a Sergeant in the Uniform Patrol

1 Division; in 2007, he joined the Clanton Police Department,
2 where he serves as a Detective in the Criminal Investigations
3 Division; and

4 WHEREAS, over the past 10 years, Corporal Bland has
5 faithfully served the citizens of Chilton County and the State
6 of Alabama with honor and integrity, and he is truly worthy of
7 this significant award; now therefore,

8 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
9 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Corporal Robert Stanley Bland
10 is most highly commended, and this resolution is offered with
11 heartiest congratulations to him on his well-deserved
12 selection as Officer of the Year of the Clanton Police
13 Department, along with best wishes in all future endeavors.

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House of Representatives

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Greg Pappas
Clerk