

1 HJR87
2 157239-2
3 By Representative Newton
4 RFD: Rules
5 First Read: 30-JAN-14

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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,

3 COMMENDING PEGGY LAIRD FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT
4 AND LONGTIME SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE ALABAMA LEGISLATIVE
5 CLUB.

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7 WHEREAS, Peggy Laird has been an active member of
8 the Alabama Legislative Club (ALC) since 1978; and

9 WHEREAS, the ALC is a fellowship and service club
10 made up of spouses of current Alabama Legislators; and

11 WHEREAS, the wife of Representative Richard Laird,
12 she served as the 7th President of the ALC from 1994 to 1998
13 and is credited with many achievements including the ALC's
14 contribution of \$10,000 to the Children's Trust Fund,
15 supervising the purchase of artwork for the lobby of the State
16 House, hosting a student art exhibition, design and sale of
17 Christmas ornaments, hosting a Silver Anniversary Reunion for
18 the ALC at the Alabama State Capitol, facilitating the design
19 and sale of the first official ALC lapel pins, and
20 commissioning the club to write, publish, and sell its second
21 cookbook, "A Capitol Celebration"; and

22 WHEREAS, Peggy Laird also coordinated educational
23 trips, highlighted by excursions to Mobile, Talladega,
24 Decatur, and Northeast Alabama; and

1 WHEREAS, Peggy Laird is admired and respected for
2 her exceptional abilities and was a progressive and
3 hardworking President; under her leadership, numerous projects
4 were promoted for enhancing the lives of many Alabamians, both
5 young and old; and

6 WHEREAS, Peggy Laird has been and continues to be a
7 valued member of the Alabama Legislative Club; through the
8 years, her helpful and responsible attitude has endeared her
9 to others; she builds relationships, inspires cooperation,
10 serves as a role model for others, and is highly regarded by
11 her peers; her tireless efforts and numerous accomplishments
12 make her worthy of special recognition; now therefore,

13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
14 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Peggy Laird is hereby most
15 highly honored and commended, and it is directed that a copy
16 of this resolution be provided to her with gratitude for
17 significant contributions to the Alabama Legislative Club and
18 to the entire State of Alabama, along with best wishes in all
19 future endeavors.

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4 Speaker of the House of Representatives

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6 President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

7 House of Representatives

8 I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
9 and was adopted by the House 06-FEB-14.

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11 Jeff Woodard
12 Clerk
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16 Senate 12-FEB-14 Adopted
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