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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF BLANCHE RENETTE LEWIS.  
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10 WHEREAS, it is with profound sadness that we note  
11 the death on March 30, 2017, of Mrs. Blanche Renette Lewis of  
12 Thomasville, Alabama, at the age of 67 years; and

13 WHEREAS, her passing leaves a void in the lives of  
14 her loving family, many friends, and the entire community,  
15 where she was highly regarded; and

16 WHEREAS, Mrs. Lewis was a graduate of AL Martin High  
17 School in Thomsville, Alabama; she earned her Bachelor of  
18 Science Degree from Southern University in Baton Rouge,  
19 Louisiana, and her Master's Degree from Wayne State University  
20 in Detroit, Michigan; and

21 WHEREAS, during her 40-year career, she worked in  
22 Detroit, Michigan, Highland Park, Michigan, and Dixons Mill,  
23 Alabama; and

24 WHEREAS, Mrs. Lewis was preceded in death by her  
25 brothers Bobbie Jones, Standford A. Dixon, and Bruce Dixon;  
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1               WHEREAS, survivors include her husband of 45 years,  
2     David L. Lewis, Jr.; daughters, Attallah D. Lewis and Alona D.  
3     Lewis; stepdaughter, Harietta Preston; grandson, Christian A.  
4     Johnson; brother, Bennie Roy Dixon (Cassandra); sisters, Joane  
5     Howard (Robert) and Shirella Moore (Julius); brothers-in-law,  
6     Bruce Lewis and Obediah Lewis (Erica); sisters-in-law, Louise  
7     L. Williams, Juanita Thomas (Andrew), Etta M. Dunning (Roy),  
8     Jimmie A. Hampton (Willert), Alma Kelly (Charles), Anna Lewis,  
9     Izetta Dean (Tony), Pamela D. Lewis, and Jacqueline Lewis; and  
10    a host of aunts, uncles, and other family; and

11             WHEREAS, although her presence will be greatly  
12    missed, the memory of Mrs. Lewis will be cherished in the  
13    hearts of all who knew and loved her; now therefore,

14             BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
15    THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the death of Mrs. Blanche  
16    Renette Lewis is recorded with deep sadness, and this  
17    resolution is offered in tribute to her life and with  
18    heartfelt sympathy to her family, whose grief is shared by  
19    many.