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3 By Representative Jackson
4 RFD:
5 First Read: 02-MAY-17

8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MARY L. COX.
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10 WHEREAS, it is with profound sorrow that we note the
11 death on March 8, 2017, of Mrs. Mary L. Cox of Dacula,
12 Georgia, at the age of 76 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. Cox was the youngest of eleven
17 children born to Miller and Mary Howze, Sr.; and

18 WHEREAS, in 1970 she married Joe. L. Cox, a union
19 which produced four children; and

20 WHEREAS, Mrs. Cox was a 1958 graduate of Clarke
21 County Training School and a faithful member of By Faith
22 Ministries; and

23 WHEREAS, survivors include her son, Gregory Ken Cox
24 (Yvonne); daughters, Thalia Cox, Beverly Slater (Phillip), and
25 Valerie Cox; stepdaughter, Shelia Mays (David); sister, Viola
26 Jordan, nine grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; niece,

1 Gwendolyn Scruggs; and spiritual leader, Reverend Leonard Tate
2 (Selynthia); and

3 WHEREAS, although her presence will be greatly
4 missed, the memory of Mrs. Cox will be cherished by all who
5 knew and loved her; now therefore,

6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
7 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the death of Mrs. Mary L. Cox
8 is recorded with deep sadness, and this resolution is offered
9 in tribute to her life and with heartfelt sympathy to her
10 family, whose grief is shared by many.