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10 RFD:

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8 RECOGNIZING NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND  
9 EMPLOYEES WEEK.

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11 WHEREAS, correctional officers are trained law  
12 enforcement professionals dedicated to maintaining safe  
13 correctional facilities and ensuring the public safety; and  
14 WHEREAS, Alabama correctional facilities are managed  
15 by highly qualified and experienced professionals with a deep  
16 understanding of the challenges within corrections; and  
17 WHEREAS, correctional officers and Department of  
18 Corrections employees are responsible for the custody, care  
19 and rehabilitation of thousands of offenders every year, as  
20 well as the maintenance of safe and secure facilities; and  
21 WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees serve  
22 in many different capacities, including administrators,  
23 wardens, chaplains, nurses, supervisors, social workers,  
24 teachers, and managers; and  
25 WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees teach,  
26 train, mentor, council, and treat thousands of offenders; and

1                   WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees provide  
2 offenders with direction, hope, and a new focus while  
3 preparing them for a successful reentry into society; and

4                   WHEREAS, correctional officers and employees serve  
5 this honorable profession nobly and admirably; now therefore,

6                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
7 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we recognize correctional  
8 officers and employees and commend them for their service and  
9 a job well done under very difficult circumstances.