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HONORING COACH JOSEPH WILSON FOR PROFESSIONAL
ACHIEVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure, we highly honor Winfield High School's Girls Basketball Coach, Joseph Wilson, for his many professional achievements; and

WHEREAS, Coach Wilson has an impressive 553 career wins, and he is one of only two coaches in Alabama High School Athletic Association history to take a team to three of the four regional tournaments; some of his additional career achievements over the years include 12 Regional Tournament appearances and 2 Final Fours, as well as being an 11-time Marion County Coach of the Year, a 13-time West Alabama Conference Coach of the Year, and the 1998 Tuscaloosa News 3A Coach of the Year; and

WHEREAS, he has been coaching the Girls Basketball Team at Winfield High School since 2005, and his accomplishments during this tenure include a 2019 Final Four appearance; 29 consecutive wins over Hamilton High School; eight consecutive County Championships (2009-2016) and 12

1 County Championships overall; and six consecutive West Alabama
2 Conference Championships (2009-2014) and 13 championships
3 overall; and

4 WHEREAS, from 1997 to 2000, he coached the Boys
5 Basketball Team at Winfield High School, where he achieved a
6 1998 Final Four appearance; two Elite Eight appearances; three
7 County Championships; and three West Alabama Conference
8 Championships; during his time as the Boys Basketball Coach,
9 he never lost a single county game; and

10 WHEREAS, a dedicated leader and a great inspiration,
11 Coach Wilson is very deserving of special recognition; now
12 therefore,

13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
14 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Coach Joseph Wilson is warmly
15 honored, and this resolution hereby serves as a tribute to him
16 with utmost appreciation and admiration, along with sincere
17 best wishes for continued success during his retirement.