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3 By Senator Butler  
4 RFD:  
5 First Read: 01-FEB-22

8 COMMENDING DR. JON D. TURNER ON HIS OUTSTANDING  
9 CAREER OF SERVICE IN CARDIOLOGY.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations  
12 are proudly presented to Dr. Jon D. Turner on his outstanding  
13 career of service to others and his retirement from Physician  
14 Care Elkton, effective December 21, 2021; and

15 WHEREAS, Dr. Turner was born in Fayette, Alabama; he  
16 attended college at The University of Alabama and medical  
17 school at The University of Alabama, Birmingham; he completed  
18 his internship and residency at Washington University in St.  
19 Louis, Missouri; after his residency he returned to UAB to  
20 specialize in cardiology; and

21 WHEREAS, in 1979, Dr. Turner moved to Huntsville and  
22 started the cardiovascular center which eventually became the  
23 Heart Center; and

24 WHEREAS, Physician Care Elkton opened in 2016; Drs.  
25 Jon and Nancy Turner had several friends and neighbors who  
26 could not get medical care in a timely fashion; they had two  
27 goals in mind when opening the clinic; the first was to

1 provide quality medical care to a rural area; the other was to  
2 partner with Huntsville Hospital to help reach that goal and  
3 continue to provide care past the Turners' careers; and

4 WHEREAS, Dr. Turner had a helipad installed behind  
5 the clinic since he was going to practice cardiology away from  
6 a major referral center; if someone was acutely ill, he could  
7 get the patient to the hospital quickly; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Nancy Turner, M.D. internal medicine  
9 and Tiffany Peel, CNP in cardiology and internal medicine will  
10 remain at the clinic; Tiffany Peel will take over Dr. Turner's  
11 patients; she will focus on treatment and prevention of heart  
12 problems and recognition of disease processes; and

13 WHEREAS, through the years, Dr. Turner has earned  
14 immense respect for his tireless dedication and exceptional  
15 abilities, and he is truly deserving of special recognition;  
16 now therefore,

17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
18 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Dr. Jon D. Turner is highly  
19 honored and commended, and this resolution is offered to him  
20 in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with sincere  
21 best wishes for all future endeavors.

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## President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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## Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

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## House of Representatives

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