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By Representative Sells

RFD: RULES

First Read: 20-Feb-24

HJR___ COMMENDING JIMMY L. JONES ON BEING INDUCTED INTO THE TEXAS LONGHORN BREEDERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA HALL OF FAME.

WHEREAS, with great esteem, we extend highest commendations to Jimmy L. Jones on his induction into the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Longhorn breed of cattle is an icon of Texas and the Southwestern culture, representing ranching, the American cowboy, and the American pioneer; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America (TLBAA) was founded in 1964 and is a nonprofit organization with more than 3,800 active members, dedicated to preserving this symbol of American heritage by protecting the pedigree, supporting and recognizing breeders, and educating the public on the numerous benefits the Texas Longhorn offers cattlemen; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America Hall of Fame was established in 2016 and recognizes breeders who have had the greatest impact and influence on the Texas Longhorn breed; and

WHEREAS, Jimmy L. Jones of Horseshoe J Longhorns in Greenville, Alabama, is the first-ever Alabama resident to be inducted into the TLBAA Hall of Fame on January 12, 2024,

at the Fort Worth Stock Show, he was honored and recognized for his influence and dedication to the Texas Longhorn breed; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jones, on that same evening, was awarded the Elmer Parker Lifetime Achievement Award for his dedication to preserving and promoting the Texas Longhorn breed; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Mr. Jimmy L. Jones is highly honored and commended, and this resolution is offered to him in deepest admiration and appreciation for his significant contributions to the cattle industry, as well as with sincere best wishes for success in all future endeavors.