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3 By Senators Williams, Albritton, Allen, Barfoot, Beasley,

4 Bell, Butler, Carnley, Chambliss, Chesteen, Coleman,

5 Coleman-Madison, Elliott, Figures, Givhan, Gudger, Hatcher,

6 Hovey, Jones, Kelley, Kitchens, Livingston, Melson, Orr,

7 Price, Reed, Roberts, Sessions, Shelnut, Singleton,

8 Smitherman, Stewart, Stutts, Waggoner, Weaver

9 RFD: RULES

10 First Read: 15-Feb-24



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4 SJR___ NAMING THE BRIDGE ON WILMER GEORGETOWN ROAD THAT
5 SPANS ALABAMA STATE HIGHWAY ROUTE 158 IN WILMER, ALABAMA,
6 THE RUBY MERLE STRINGFELLOW MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

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8 WHEREAS, it is with the highest accolade that this
9 body honors the memory of Ruby Merle Stringfellow by
10 requesting the Department of Transportation designate the
11 bridge on Wilmer Georgetown Road that spans Alabama State
12 Highway Route 158 in Wilmer, Alabama, as the Ruby Merle
13 Stringfellow Memorial Bridge; and

14 WHEREAS, Ruby Merle Stringfellow was born April 19,
15 1931, and was a local celebrity in Wilmer for her vibrancy,
16 kindness, faith, and talent for growing beautiful flowers
17 and maintaining the family farm near the bridge; and

18 WHEREAS, Mrs. Stringfellow passed away on March 27,
19 2010, at the age of 78; she reared six children in Wilmer,
20 three of whom predeceased her, as well as her husband, three
21 grandsons, one granddaughter, and one great-grandson; she is
22 survived by two sons and a daughter, and many grandchildren
23 great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren who
24 cherish her memory; now therefore,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
26 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That to honor Ruby Merle
27 Stringfellow, who loved her community and was beloved in
28 return, the Department of Transportation is encouraged to



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29 coordinate with local governing officials to consider
30 designating the bridge on Wilmer Georgetown Road that spans
31 Alabama State Highway Route 158 in Wilmer, Alabama, as the
32 Ruby Merle Stringfellow Memorial Bridge and to erect
33 appropriate signs or markers, consistent with applicable
34 requirements and laws, in recognition of this designation.



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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and
passed the Senate.

Patrick Harris,
Secretary.

House of Representatives

Passed: 22-Feb-24

By: Senator Williams