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3 By Representatives Payne, Thomas (E), Collier, Johnson,
4 DeMarco, Baker (A), Greeson, Bentley and Hammett
5 RFD: Rules
6 First Read: 08-APR-10

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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,

3 CONGRATULATING JORDAN RATLIFF ON BEING SELECTED MISS
4 WALLACE STATE 2010.

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6 WHEREAS, we take great pride and pleasure in
7 commending Jordan Ratliff on being selected Miss Wallace State
8 2010; and

9 WHEREAS, Miss Ratliff won the honor of competing in
10 the Miss Alabama contest in June as part of the Miss America
11 Preliminaries; she impressed the judges with her community
12 service platform as well as her grace and intellect and her
13 exceptional musical talent; and

14 WHEREAS, an outstanding first year student at
15 Wallace State Community College at Hanceville, Miss Ratliff
16 hopes to pursue a career in music; she is the daughter of
17 Robert and Teresa Ratliff and is the granddaughter of our
18 friend and colleague, Representative Elwyn and Linda Thomas;
19 her paternal grandparents are Ann Ratliff of Oneonta and the
20 late Ollen Ratliff; and

21 WHEREAS, Miss Ratliff is a dedicated supporter of
22 cancer research and is committed to easing the pain of cancer
23 patients; she brings to the Miss America competition a
24 worthwhile platform entitled "Coping with Cancer One Song at a
25 Time," singing at churches and at the Children's Hospital in

1 Birmingham; she feels blessed to use her God-given talent to
2 help calm the fear and alleviate the pain of children and has
3 devoted many volunteer hours to the cause, including
4 performing in Relay for Life programs and at cancer benefits,
5 singing solo and in a Three Generations Trio with her mother
6 and grandmother; and

7 WHEREAS, in her young life Jordan Ratliff has
8 already demonstrated capacities of leadership and qualities of
9 compassion that have enriched her community and inspired those
10 who are privileged to know her; now therefore,

11 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
12 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That it is a pleasure to commend
13 Jordan Ratliff and congratulate her upon being selected Miss
14 Wallace State 2010, and by copy of this resolution we convey
15 our highest esteem along with best wishes throughout the Miss
16 Alabama competition and in all future endeavors.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
and was adopted by the House 13-APR-10.

Greg Pappas
Clerk

Senate

21-APR-10

Adopted