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3 By Representative Millican
4 RFD:
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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MR. MORRIS WAYNE HATTON.

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10 WHEREAS, we note with deep sadness the passing of
11 Mr. Morris Wayne Hatton of Haleyville at the age of 68 years;
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13 WHEREAS, Mr. Hatton, a native of Franklin County,
14 had lived in Haleyville since 1975; he was a graduate of
15 Russellville High School and the University of North Alabama;
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17 WHEREAS, over the course of a long manufacturing
18 career, he employed hundreds of people in the Haleyville area;
19 Mr. Hatton later became an adult education instructor at
20 Bevill State Community College, helping train adults to join
21 the workforce; and

22 WHEREAS, an avid churchgoer and member of the Church
23 of Christ, Mr. Hatton was particularly devoted to the many
24 youth programs that encouraged young people to become leaders
25 within the Church; and

26 WHEREAS, Mr. Hatton was preceded in death by his
27 parents, Vermin and Estelle Pruett Hatton; sister, Phyllis

1 Hatton Waldrep; nephew, Kenneth Cooper; in-laws, Robert and
2 Eddie Lee Jones; and two sisters-in-law, Dianne Jones Cain and
3 Merrie Lee Jones Maxwell; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Hatton is survived by his loving wife
5 of 49 years, Bobbie Ann Jones Hatton; four children,
6 Christopher Wayne Hatton, Lori Suzanne (Brian) Burleson,
7 Jonathan Kevin (Paula) Hatton, and Robert Scott (Kimberly)
8 Hatton; five grandchildren, Justin Brian (Nicoll) Burleson,
9 Ariana Celeste Hatton, Carter Scott Hatton, Marielle Taylor
10 Hatton, and Lily Piper Hatton; brother, Donald (Dorothy)
11 Hatton; sisters, Dorothy (Jim) Cooper, Shirley (Norris)
12 Duncan, and Sharline (Terry) Dempsey; and numerous nieces,
13 nephews, cousins, and friends; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Hatton's passing is a great loss to his
15 family and members of the community who will remember him as a
16 man who embraced what life had to offer and returned the best
17 of himself; the memory of his abundant and inspiring life will
18 be treasured in the hearts and minds of many; now therefore,

19 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
20 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That with much appreciation and
21 gratitude, the life of Mr. Morris Wayne Hatton is honored in
22 this special tribute, and by copy of this resolution, deepest
23 condolences are extended to his family.