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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF DAVID C. HELMICK, SR.
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10 WHEREAS, we note with regret the untimely passing of
11 Mr. David C. Helmick, Sr., at the age of 60 years; and

12 WHEREAS, a graduate of Rogers High School and
13 Southern Illinois University, Mr. Helmick joined the United
14 States Air Force in 1969 and served with distinction in
15 Vietnam; he retired from the Air Force in 1993 with the rank
16 of Senior Master Sergeant; Mr. Helmick was a gifted gunsmith
17 and an award-winning marksman; and

18 WHEREAS, a beloved son, father, and grandfather, Mr.
19 Helmick was preceded in death by his father, Albert Helmick;
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21 WHEREAS, Mr. Helmick is survived by his mother,
22 Patricia McCravy Boling; stepfather, Dan Boling; stepmother,
23 Mary Helmick; children, Christy Helmick Cosio, David C.
24 (Karin) Helmick, Jr., and Andrew J. Helmick; the mother of
25 Christy and David, Patti Helmick Powell; granddaughters,
26 Cecelia Cosio and Celeste Cosio; brothers, Gary (Bobbie)
27 Helmick, Sr., Kim E. (Patty Gayle) Helmick, and Glenn

1 (DeLinda) Helmick; nieces, Amy Helmick and Jenny Helmick
2 Benson; and nephews, Adam Helmick and Gary Helmick, Jr.; and

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Helmick's passing is a great loss to
4 his family and members of the community who will remember him
5 as a man who embraced what life had to offer and returned the
6 best of himself; the memory of his abundant and inspiring life
7 will be treasured in the hearts and minds of many; now
8 therefore,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
10 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That with much appreciation and
11 gratitude, the life of Mr. David C. Helmick, Sr., is honored
12 in this special tribute, and by copy of this resolution,
13 deepest condolences are extended to his family.