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3 By Senator Bedford  
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4 ENROLLED, SJR164,

5 COMMENDING CHIEF GOLDEN PATRICK FOR PROFESSIONAL

6 ACHIEVEMENT.

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8 WHEREAS, highest commendation is extended to Chief

9 Golden Patrick in recognition of his outstanding record of

10 achievement and service during an exemplary 32-year career as

11 Police Chief of the Town of Kennedy, Alabama; and

12 WHEREAS, Chief Patrick announced his retirement

13 effective December 31, 2009, an event greeted with regret by

14 colleagues and the citizens of Kennedy; and

15 WHEREAS, when Chief Patrick came to Kennedy in 1977,

16 he had already been in law enforcement for 14 years, having

17 embarked upon his career in 1963 in Millport, Alabama, where

18 he and his wife, Virginia, continue to reside; and

19 WHEREAS, well-known for his competency, he is

20 admired for his diligence and the courtesy he manages to

21 maintain in all circumstances; and

22 WHEREAS, through the years, Chief Patrick has kept

23 pace with many changes in law enforcement, and his

24 distinguished record of service remains unblemished; he

25 personifies the finest qualities of those who devote their

1 lives to their fellowman through the noble vocation of law  
2 enforcement; and

3 WHEREAS, with tireless dedication and exceptional  
4 skills, Chief Patrick has continually exceeded the call of  
5 duty, and he will be greatly missed; now therefore,

6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
7 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Chief Golden Patrick is  
8 honored and commended for his many decades of dedicated  
9 service in the field of law enforcement, and this resolution  
10 is offered in highest tribute and deepest appreciation to him  
11 on the occasion of his retirement after more than 32 years as  
12 Police Chief of the Town of Kennedy, Alabama.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution  
originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

McDowell Lee  
Secretary

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