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3 By Senators Dixon, Barron, Beason, Bedford, Benefield, Bishop,
4 Brooks, Butler, Coleman, Denton, Dunn, Erwin, Figures, French,
5 Glover, Holley, Keahey, Little (T), Little (Z), Marsh, Means,
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7 Sanders, Sanford, Singleton, Smith, Smitherman, and Waggoner
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9 First Read: 04-FEB-10

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4 ENROLLED, SJR49,

5 MOURNING THE DEATH OF BILL LINES.

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7 WHEREAS, we note with deep regret the passing of Mr.
8 Bill "Snap" Lines of Montgomery; and

9 WHEREAS, a genuine American hero, Mr. Lines served
10 with distinction as a member of the United States Army in
11 Vietnam; he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, five
12 Bronze Stars (all with V for Valor), two Purple Hearts, two
13 Army Commendation Medals, the Combat Infantryman Badge,
14 Airborne Jump Wings, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry,
15 among other awards; Mr. Lines was also nominated for the
16 Congressional Medal of Honor; and

17 WHEREAS, a great lover of motorcycles, Mr. Lines was
18 a member of In Country (Vietnam) MC and was past President of
19 the Patriot Guard Riders; he was regarded as a leader and
20 mentor by all his peers; Mr. Lines was also a member of the
21 Disabled American Veterans; and

22 WHEREAS, Mr. Lines is survived by his wife and best
23 friend, Linda Brazeale Lines; parents, Charles W. and Patricia
24 M. Lines; brother, Joseph (Laura) Lines; sister, Christine
25 Lines; sons, Richard Michael Lines Okazaki and Warren J.

1 Lassabe, Jr.; daughter, Kelli (Patrick) Tatum; grandchildren,
2 Haley Tatum, Connor Tatum, and Justin Lawrence Lassabe; and
3 numerous nieces and nephews; and

4 WHEREAS, Mr. Lines' passing is a great loss to
5 members of his family and the community, who justly revere the
6 sacrifices that he made for our nation; now therefore,

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
8 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the life of Mr. Bill "Snap"
9 Lines is hereby celebrated in this special tribute and that,
10 by copy of this resolution, we extend our deepest condolences
11 to his family.

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President Pro Tempore and Presiding Officer of
the Senate

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

House of Representatives
Adopted: 18-FEB-10

By: Senator Dixon