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3 By Senator Mitchell
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8 CONGRATULATING VONCILLE THOMPSON PERKINS ON THE
9 OCCASION OF HER 100TH BIRTHDAY.

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11 WHEREAS, we note with great appreciation that Mrs.
12 Voncille Thompson Perkins will celebrate her 100th birthday on
13 March 4, 2010; and

14 WHEREAS, a native of Pike County, Mrs. Perkins
15 graduated from Troy High School; and

16 WHEREAS, Mrs. Perkins enjoyed a distinguished career
17 as an employee of the Alabama Department of Agriculture and
18 Industries and the Farmer's Home Administration within the
19 United States Department of Agriculture; and

20 WHEREAS, active in the community, Mrs. Perkins is an
21 honorary member of the Troy Woman's Club; she is a member of
22 First United Methodist Church of Troy, where she has
23 participated in the Wesleyan Service Guild and the Young at
24 Heart Club; Mrs. Perkins was a member of the American Legion
25 Auxiliary for 51 years; and

1 WHEREAS, Mrs. Perkins was married to Leonard
2 Perkins, president of the First Farmers and Merchants Bank of
3 Troy; the union produced one child, since deceased; she is the
4 beloved grandmother of four grandchildren; and

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Perkins is treasured by the community
6 and her family as a woman who has given of herself at every
7 opportunity; she is to be commended on a life well-lived; now
8 therefore,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
10 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we heartily congratulate Mrs.
11 Voncille Thompson Perkins on the occasion of her 100th
12 birthday and that, by copy of this resolution, extend our
13 heartfelt best wishes for many more to come.