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8 COMMENDING KATHRYN BELCHER NEAL FOR PROFESSIONAL
9 ACHIEVEMENT.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations are awarded to
12 Kathryn Belcher Neal for her remarkable career achievements on
13 the occasion of her retirement from J.F. Drake State Technical
14 College; and

15 WHEREAS, a graduate of Miles College and the
16 University of Michigan with a Master of Arts in Library
17 Science, Ms. Neal embarked upon her distinguished career in
18 library science at Alabama A and M University, where she
19 served as Reference/Government Documents Librarian; and

20 WHEREAS, in 1988, Ms. Neal was named Media
21 Specialist/Librarian at the S.C. O'Neal Library and Technology
22 Center on the campus of J.F. Drake State Technical College,
23 where she was responsible for the supervision of the Library
24 and Technology Center, inclusive of maintaining, organizing,
25 and making accessible a viable collection of resources for the
26 College, among other critical duties; and

1 WHEREAS, during her tenure with J.F. Drake State
2 Technical College, Ms. Neal assumed numerous other
3 professional assignments for the College including the
4 Accreditation Committee, Administrative Council, Archives
5 Committee, Graduation Committee, Scholarship Committee, as
6 well as a multitude of additional paramount assignments; and

7 WHEREAS, Ms. Neal has been awarded the 2006 American
8 Technical Education Outstanding Service Award, the 2005
9 Chancellor's Award Recipient for Administrator Division, and
10 the 2002 Chancellor's Award Recipient for Administrator
11 Division; and

12 WHEREAS, through the years, Ms. Neal has earned
13 respect for her exceptional abilities and unwavering
14 commitment to education and to her students and colleagues
15 alike; now therefore,

16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
17 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That in recognition of her
18 outstanding professional achievements and retirement, Kathryn
19 Belcher Neal is honored and commended, and this resolution is
20 offered in highest tribute and deepest appreciation to her,
21 along with best wishes in all future endeavors.