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3 By Senators Dial and Whatley
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8 ENCOURAGING THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE PROHIBITION OF
9 CERTAIN RECREATIONAL VESSELS ON LAKES HARRIS, MARTIN, AND
10 WEISS.
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12 WHEREAS, Act 2006-398 of the 2006 Regular Session
13 (Acts 2006, p. 1004), now codified as Section 33-6A-3.1 of the
14 Code of Alabama 1975, among other restrictions, prohibited the
15 use of recreational vessels greater than 26 feet 11 inches in
16 length and rated by the manufacturer for or capable of a top
17 speed in excess of 60 miles an hour beginning October 1, 2006,
18 on Lake Harris (Lake Wedowee), Lake Martin, and Weiss Lake;
19 and

20 WHEREAS, the Department of Conservation and Natural
21 Resources was authorized under Section 33-6A-3.1 to adopt
22 rules within six months of July 1, 2006, authorizing the use
23 of vessels otherwise prohibited by the section under certain
24 circumstances, and as a result the department adopted Rule
25 220-6-.55 of the Alabama Administrative Code; now therefore,

26 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
27 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we encourage the enforcement

1 of the restrictions authorized by Section 33-6A-3.1 of the
2 Code of Alabama 1975, prohibiting the use of certain vessels
3 on Lake Harris (Lake Wedowee), Lake Martin, and Weiss Lake.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this
5 resolution shall be forwarded to the Commissioner of the
6 Department of Conservation and Natural Resources.