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3 By Representative Chesteen
4 RFD: Rules
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8 DESIGNATING A PORTION OF ALABAMA HIGHWAY 27 IN
9 GENEVA SOUTHBOUND TO THE STATE OF FLORIDA BOUNDARY LINE AS THE
10 SHERIFF LELON D. SIZEMORE OF GENEVA COUNTY MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.
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12 WHEREAS, with highest tribute and deepest
13 appreciation, the service of the late Sheriff Lelon D. "Red"
14 Sizemore of Geneva County is herein recognized and honored;
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16 WHEREAS, Sheriff Sizemore lost his life in the line
17 of duty, while arresting an intoxicated man for disorderly
18 conduct; and

19 WHEREAS, the life of Sheriff Lelon D. "Red" Sizemore
20 was dedicated to the service and protection of his fellowman;
21 there is no higher calling or greater sacrifice, and his
22 memory will be cherished in the hearts and minds of those who
23 were fortunate to know him during his lifetime; now therefore,

24 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
25 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the portion of Alabama Highway
26 27 in Geneva County southbound to the State of Florida

1 boundary line is designated the Sheriff Lelon D. "Red"
2 Sizemore Memorial Highway.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, if possible, the
4 signage should be designed and laid out in emblems and words
5 as follows:

6 Great Seal of the State of Alabama

7 Sheriff Lelon D. "Red" Sizemore Memorial Highway.

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That such memorial
9 designation shall in no way alter or conflict with the common
10 designation Alabama Highway 27 in Geneva County southbound to
11 the State of Florida line and shall not affect in any way
12 postal or address designations along that portion of Alabama
13 Highway 27 in Geneva southbound to the State of Florida line
14 to be so memorialized.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this
16 resolution be presented to the immediate family of Sheriff
17 Lelon D. "Red" Sizemore, so that they may know of the esteem
18 in which we hold their fallen family member and the service he
19 made to his country, his state, and Geneva County.