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3 By Representative Todd
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8 COMMENDING RAKESH GOLI AND HALEY HUROWITZ FOR
9 OUTSTANDING SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations are herein conveyed
12 to Rakesh Goli and Haley Hurowitz in recognition of their
13 outstanding scholastic achievement; and

14 WHEREAS, each year, the College Board and the
15 Siemens Foundation recognize two students in each of the 50
16 states for excellence in mathematics and science,
17 exceptionally talented individuals who will create the
18 solutions needed for a better world and a more vibrant
19 economy; and

20 WHEREAS, Alabama's 2012 winners of the prestigious
21 Siemens Awards for Advanced Placement are Rakesh Goli and
22 Haley Hurowitz, students at the Altamont School in Birmingham;
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24 WHEREAS, the scholarship awards are given to the
25 male and female student earning the greatest number of scores
26 of 5 (using the AP scale of 1-to-5) on the AP Exams in
27 Biology, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science AB,

1 Environmental Science, Physics C, and Statistics; students
2 must attain a score of 5 on at least two of these exams to
3 qualify; and

4 WHEREAS, our nation's ability to remain competitive
5 in the global marketplace demands that we foster continued
6 excellence in the next generation of scientists, engineers,
7 doctors, and mathematicians; the Siemens Awards for Advanced
8 Placement are one way to encourage students, teachers, and
9 schools to engage in high quality, rigorous science and
10 mathematics education; now therefore,

11 BE IT RESOLVED, That it is a great pleasure to honor
12 and commend Rakesh Goli and Haley Hurowitz for their
13 outstanding scholastic achievement, and it is directed that a
14 copy of this resolution be presented to each of them with
15 heartiest congratulations on winning the Siemens Awards for
16 Advanced Placement, along with best wishes in future
17 endeavors.