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3 By Representative Gaston  
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8 COMMENDING THE ALABAMA LAW INSTITUTE HOUSE INTERNS  
9 FOR EXEMPLARY SERVICE DURING THE 2012 LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendation is herein extended to  
12 Blair Boutwell, Gerald Cook, Clay Loftin, Ali Morgan, Lauren  
13 James, Thad Evans, Drew Thrash, Kimberly Hunt, Ashley Hayes,  
14 Sydney Holtzclaw, Regina Newsome, and Courtney Bruce for  
15 exemplary service to the Alabama House of Representatives as  
16 interns during the 2012 Legislative Session; and

17 WHEREAS, the Alabama Legislative Internship program  
18 was established to include student interns in the state  
19 legislative experience by allowing them to observe and  
20 participate in the legislative process of state government,  
21 and the program has evolved into an integral part of the  
22 Alabama Legislature; and

23 WHEREAS, during their tenure with the Legislature,  
24 these interns have masterfully researched issues for  
25 individual Representatives and House committees, responded to  
26 constituent issues for Representatives, provided tours of the  
27 Alabama State House to visiting groups, attended legislative

1 committees with the committee attorneys, and assisted  
2 Representatives and House staff with numerous other critical  
3 tasks; and

4 WHEREAS, the 2012 House Interns have made a lasting  
5 impression on the legislators by exhibiting genuine enthusiasm  
6 for the legislative process and an advanced aptitude to assist  
7 legislators beyond the standard expectation of interns, as  
8 well as exhibiting a spirit of service and devotion for the  
9 public good, which included serving extra hours when session  
10 was extended into the evening hours and completing complex  
11 tasks and requests with exuberance and attention to detail;  
12 now therefore,

13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
14 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That highest commendation is  
15 extended to Blair Boutwell, Gerald Cook, Clay Loftin, Ali  
16 Morgan, Lauren James, Thad Evans, Drew Thrash, Kimberly Hunt,  
17 Ashley Hayes, Sydney Holtzclaw, Regina Newsome, and Courtney  
18 Bruce for their exemplary service as Alabama Law Institute  
19 House Interns during the 2012 Legislative Session, and it is  
20 directed that a copy of this resolution be presented to each  
21 intern with the highest esteem and praise, and with best  
22 wishes for future success.