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8 COMMENDING WALMART FOR THE VETERANS WELCOME HOME  
9 COMMITMENT.

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11 WHEREAS, Walmart will soon launch its national  
12 commitment to offer jobs to recently separated veterans  
13 through its Veterans Welcome Home Commitment program to offer  
14 jobs to recently separated veterans; and

15 WHEREAS, the program will offer priority job  
16 applicant status to veterans separated from service in the  
17 past 12 months, and veterans separated for more than 12 months  
18 will be eligible for job applications to Walmart based on  
19 their military service; and

20 WHEREAS, recently separated veterans will be the  
21 first applicants considered for employment within a 50-mile  
22 radius of each local Walmart store; and

23 WHEREAS, because of Walmart's status as the leading  
24 U.S. retailer, the company feels it must maintain its  
25 competitive standing by acquiring the top talent in the area,

1 and recruiting veterans allows the company the opportunity to  
2 give back to those who have served our country; now therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
4 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we commend Walmart for the  
5 Veterans Welcome Home Commitment.