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3 By Senator Waggoner
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8 COMMENDING CONSTANCE PATRICIA HOWARD FOR EXEMPLARY
9 VOLUNTEER SERVICE.

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11 WHEREAS, Constance Patricia Howard of Vestavia,
12 Alabama, has achieved national recognition for exemplary
13 volunteer service as a Distinguished Finalist for the 2014
14 Prudential Spirit of Community Award; and

15 WHEREAS, this prestigious award, presented by
16 Prudential Financial in partnership with the National
17 Association of Secondary School Principals, honors young
18 volunteers across America who have demonstrated an
19 extraordinary dedication to serving their communities; and

20 WHEREAS, Constance Patricia Howard is the daughter
21 of Kent and Lisa Howard and has long been active in worthy
22 causes along with her commitment to scholastic achievement;
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24 WHEREAS, as a senior at Vestavia Hills High School,
25 Constance Patricia Howard organized the "Tuck in Your
26 Neighbor" drive, collecting 120 sets of new sheets, 133 new
27 towels, 172 books, and 89 stuffed animals for the Glenwood

1 Autism and Behavioral Health Center; she coordinated the
2 event, promoted it through local media and organizations,
3 sorted and delivered the items, and earned her Girl Scout Gold
4 Award for this project; and

5 WHEREAS, among her additional well-deserved awards,
6 she received the President's Volunteer Award Bronze Level and
7 Gold Level; she also excels academically, maintaining a 4.28
8 GPA and being inducted into the National Honor Society,
9 National French Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta Mathematics
10 Honor Society, and others; in addition, she is a leader in
11 extracurricular activities, community projects, and the
12 Southminster Presbyterian Church; and

13 WHEREAS, the success of the State of Alabama, the
14 strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of
15 American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication
16 of young people who use their considerable talents and
17 resources to serve others; now therefore,

18 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
19 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Constance Patricia Howard is
20 hereby honored and commended as a Distinguished Finalist for
21 the 2014 Prudential Spirit of Community Award in recognition
22 of her outstanding record of volunteer service, peer
23 leadership, and community spirit, and it is directed that a
24 copy of this resolution be provided to her with heartiest
25 congratulations and best wishes in future endeavors.