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3 By Representative Hall  
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8 RECOGNIZING THE HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS OF THE LINKS,  
9 INC.

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11 WHEREAS, the Links, Incorporated, was established in  
12 1946 as an international not-for-profit organization for the  
13 purpose of civic engagement and improvement; and

14 WHEREAS, over 12,000 members of The Links,  
15 Incorporated, are servant leaders in 42 states including the  
16 State of Alabama, the District of Columbia, and the  
17 Commonwealth of The Bahamas; and

18 WHEREAS, nine chapters of the organization have been  
19 chartered in Birmingham, Huntsville, Leeds, Mobile,  
20 Montgomery, Selma, Tuscaloosa, and Tuskegee; and

21 WHEREAS, the more than 275 members of the Alabama  
22 Chapters of The Links, Incorporated, documents more than  
23 100,000 hours of year in volunteer service to their  
24 communities; and

25 WHEREAS, members of The Links, Incorporated, are  
26 influential decision makers, civic leaders, activists, and  
27 newsmakers; and

1           WHEREAS, the thrusts of the organization's programs  
2 impact the quality of life for citizens across the world in  
3 five facets: The Arts, National Trends and Services, Services  
4 to Youth, International Trends and Services, and Health and  
5 Human Services; and

6           WHEREAS, the Alabama Links Day at the Capitol will  
7 be held Tuesday, April 7, 2015; and

8           WHEREAS, a focus for The Alabama Links Day at the  
9 Capitol is to provide support to the notion that every working  
10 adult in Alabama should have an opportunity to earn a Living  
11 Wage; and

12           WHEREAS, The Links, Incorporated, and its  
13 philanthropic arm, The Links Foundation, have a distinct  
14 history of transforming health disparities in the lives of the  
15 African Disapora; now therefore,

16           BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
17 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we recognize the humanitarian  
18 efforts of The Links, Incorporated, specifically in the State  
19 of Alabama, and welcome its members to the Alabama State  
20 Capitol during Links Day at the Capitol.

21           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this  
22 resolution shall be provided for The Links, Incorporated,  
23 Chapters in the State of Alabama.