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8 COMMENDING PAUL AND VICKI MORRISON AS THE 2014
9 OUTSTANDING YOUNG FARM FAMILY OF ALABAMA.

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11 WHEREAS, in acknowledgement of their exceptional
12 accomplishments, it is with great pride that Paul and Vicki
13 Morrison of Ariton, in Dale County, Alabama, are honored as
14 the 2014 Outstanding Young Farm Family; and

15 WHEREAS, this coveted award was presented to the
16 Morrisons during the Alabama Farmers Federation's 93rd Annual
17 Meeting in Montgomery in December 2014; as winners, the
18 Morrisons will promote Alabama agriculture across the state
19 and represent Alabama at the American Farm Bureau Federation
20 Achievement Award competition; and

21 WHEREAS, the Young Farmers program provides
22 opportunities for young farm families to become involved in
23 the Alabama Farmers Federation and offers leadership training
24 and experience to expand the varied interests of young
25 Alabamians; and

1 WHEREAS, with 480 brood cows on 600 acres and
2 approximately 1,800 acres of cotton, peanuts, hay, rye seed,
3 wheat, and corn, the Morrisons work constantly to improve
4 their operation, increase efficiency and productivity,
5 attributing their success to a higher power; and

6 WHEREAS, for winning this competition, the Morrisons
7 received more than \$60,000 in prizes, including \$35,000
8 towards a new GM vehicle, an 825i John Deere Gator, and a
9 lease on a John Deere tractor; and

10 WHEREAS, as the 2014 Outstanding Young Farm Family,
11 the Morrisons are exemplary representatives of the State of
12 Alabama in the competition at the national level for the Young
13 Farmers Achievement Award; now therefore,

14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
15 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Paul and Vicki Morrison are
16 heartily congratulated on their selection as the 2014
17 Outstanding Young Farm Family of Alabama, and this resolution
18 is offered in tribute to them along with best wishes for
19 success in all future endeavors.