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3 By Representative Sanderford
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8 COMMENDING LIEUTENANT GENERAL PATRICIA E. MCQUISTION
9 FOR OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
12 are herein proudly presented to Lieutenant General Patricia E.
13 McQuistion for outstanding professional achievement; and

14 WHEREAS, Lieutenant McQuistion earned a commission
15 in the U.S. Army through the ROTC program at the University of
16 Akron, Ohio, where she graduated in 1980; and

17 WHEREAS, her credentials include a Bachelor of
18 Science Degree in Biology from the University of Akron,
19 Master's Degrees in Acquisition Management from Babson College
20 in Wellesley, Massachusetts, and National Resource Strategy
21 from the National Defense University in Washington, D.C., the
22 Ordnance Officer Basic and Advanced courses, and the U.S. Army
23 Command and General Staff College; and

24 WHEREAS, Lieutenant McQuistion assumed duties as the
25 Deputy Commanding General of the United States Army Materiel
26 Command August 7, 2012; over the course of her distinguished
27 career, she has also served as the Commanding General, U.S.

1 Army Sustainment Command, Rock Island, Illinois, Commanding
2 General of the 21st Theater Sustainment Command for U.S.
3 Army-Europe and Seventh Army in Kaiserslautern, Germany,
4 company commander in the 56th Field Artillery Command
5 (Pershing) and V Corps, Seventh Army, ordnance systems manager
6 for the U.S. Army Personnel Command in Alexandria, Virginia, a
7 speechwriter for the U.S. Army Chief of Staff, commander of
8 the Special Troops Battalion in the 13th Corps Support
9 Command, special assistant for personnel and logistics to the
10 U.S. Army Chief of Staff, commander of Tobyhanna Army Depot,
11 Pennsylvania, executive officer to the deputy commanding
12 general, director for strategy and integration within the
13 Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff of the Army (G-4), ASC
14 deputy commanding general with duty as commanding general of
15 Army Materiel Command-Forward (Southwest Asia), director of
16 operational sustainment, and G-4 for US Army Central Command,
17 commander of the Defense Supply Center Columbus, Ohio, now
18 Defense Logistics Agency-Land and Maritime, and commanding
19 general of the 21st Theater Sustainment Command; and

20 WHEREAS, her awards and decorations include the
21 Distinguished Service Medal, the Defense Superior Service
22 Medal, the Legion of Merit with three oak leaf clusters, the
23 Bronze Star, the Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf
24 clusters, the Army Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster,
25 the Air Force Commendation Medal, the Army Achievement Medal,
26 the Army Staff Identification Badge, and the Ehrenkreuz der
27 Bundeswehr in Gold; and

1 WHEREAS, through the years, Lieutenant General
2 McQuistion has earned immense honor and respect for her
3 exceptional abilities and unwavering commitment to the defense
4 of freedom and democracy; now therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
6 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Lieutenant General Patricia
7 E. McQuistion is highly honored and commended, and this
8 resolution is presented to her in deepest admiration and
9 appreciation, along with sincere best wishes for continued
10 success in all future endeavors.