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3 By Representative McCampbell
4 RFD: Rules
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8 RECOGNIZING JUDGE WADE DRINKARD FOR OUTSTANDING
9 PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AND SERVICE.

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11 WHEREAS, commendations and congratulations are
12 herein proudly extended to Judge Wade Drinkard in recognition
13 of his dedicated service as Marengo County District Court
14 Judge and for his outstanding professional achievement and
15 public service; and

16 WHEREAS, Judge Drinkard, a native of Linden,
17 graduated from Linden High School and the University of
18 Alabama School of Law; he is an active member of the Demopolis
19 United Methodist Church, where he has served in numerous
20 service and leadership capacities in his local church and
21 district; and

22 WHEREAS, initially Judge Drinkard had a private law
23 practice in Marengo County until he was elected District
24 Attorney for the 17th Judicial Circuit in 1989; in January
25 2001, he was elected Marengo County District Court Judge and
26 continues to serve in that position; and

1 WHEREAS, active in many civic organizations, Judge
2 Drinkard serves his community and the State of Alabama both on
3 and off the bench with integrity, ability, and hard work; he
4 has received numerous awards and recognitions for his tireless
5 and dedicated service to others; and

6 WHEREAS, the contributions made by Judge Wade
7 Drinkard to Marengo County through his service as District
8 Court Judge, as District Attorney, and to his community
9 service through various organizations, are invaluable, and as
10 a result of his long-term dedication, he has succeeded in
11 compiling an impressive record of professional achievements, a
12 record that has earned for him the admiration and respect of
13 those persons who have had the privilege of associating with
14 him; now therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
16 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Judge Wade Drinkard is highly
17 honored and commended for his dedicated public service and for
18 his outstanding professional achievement, and by copy of this
19 resolution, we convey our deepest admiration and appreciation,
20 along with best wishes for all future endeavors.