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3 By Representative Davis
4 RFD: Rules
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8 COMMENDING RICHARD L. BENJAMIN FOR OUTSTANDING
9 PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendations are herein proudly
12 presented to Richard L. Benjamin for outstanding professional
13 achievement on the occasion of his retirement on December 31,
14 2016, after providing more than 39 years of dedicated service
15 to Exxon and ExxonMobil; and

16 WHEREAS, his extensive record of excellence and an
17 impressive skill set combined with his expert guidance and
18 leadership, diligence, strong work ethic, and impeccable
19 attention to detail have served as invaluable assets to Exxon
20 and ExxonMobil; and

21 WHEREAS, Richard L. Benjamin embarked upon his
22 distinguished career with Exxon in the Jay Field in Florida in
23 1977, and he progressed from the position of field operator to
24 the position of field foreman in 1991; in 2000, he became an
25 Offshore Field Superintendent in Mobile Bay, and, then in
26 2003, he transferred to the Mobile Bay gas treating facility
27 in Theodore as the Plant Superintendent; in recognition of his

1 instrumental role in the Mobile Bay development, he was
2 promoted to the position of Senior Superintendent in 2006; and

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Benjamin is a highly regarded member of
4 the community who has worked relentlessly to develop
5 meaningful relationships with customers; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Benjamin holds his Bachelor's,
7 Master's, and Doctorate Degrees from Covington Theological
8 Seminary; he and his wife, Linda Benjamin, have been married
9 43 years; Mr. Benjamin has three children, one of whom is
10 carrying on the family legacy and working for Exxon; and

11 WHEREAS, through the years, Richard L. Benjamin has
12 earned widespread respect for his tireless dedication and
13 exceptional abilities, and he is truly deserving of special
14 commendation and praise; now therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
16 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Richard L. Benjamin is highly
17 honored and commended, and this resolution is offered to him
18 in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with sincere
19 best wishes for the future.