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ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,
COMMENDING RUSSELLVILLE HIGH SCHOOL ON BEING NAMED
AS A COUNCIL FOR LEADERS IN ALABAMA SCHOOLS 2017 SCHOOL OF
DISTINCTION.

WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
are herein proudly presented to Russellville High School on
the occasion of its being named a Council for Leaders in
Alabama Schools 2017 School of Distinction; and

WHEREAS, the Council for Leaders in Alabama Schools
was founded in 1969, as the Alabama Council of School
Administrators, an organization formed as a professional
association focused on children, professional development and
the needs of school administrators; the organization later
changed its name to the Council for Leaders in Alabama
Schools, CLAS, in 1998; and

WHEREAS, CLAS awards recognize educational schools
and programs, like Russellville, that serve as models for
schools across the state; and

WHEREAS, the CLAS Banner School program began in
2001 as a way to recognize Alabama schools that showcase
outstanding programs and service to their students; 107
schools were nominated for School of Distinction status; and

1 WHEREAS, three exemplary schools are selected from
2 each of Alabama's eight school board districts, for a total of
3 24; eight Banner Schools will be selected from the Schools of
4 Distinction, one from each district; and

5 WHEREAS, Russellville High School was named last
6 year as a School of Excellence from the A-plus College Ready
7 program; and

8 WHEREAS, Russellville, which was nominated by City
9 Schools Superintendent of Education, Heath Grimes, will be
10 recognized at a luncheon in February in Prattville, Alabama,
11 that will honor all CLAS Banner Schools; and

12 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
13 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That in recognition of exceptional
14 achievement, highest commendation is hereby extended to
15 Russellville High School on its selection as a 2017 School of
16 Distinction, and it is further directed that a copy of this
17 resolution be presented for appropriate school display with
18 our sincere best wishes for success in all future endeavors.

