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3 By Senators Whatley, Price, Beasley, Albritton, Allen,
4 Barfoot, Burkette, Butler, Chambliss, Chesteen,
5 Coleman-Madison, Dunn, Elliott, Figures, Givhan, Gudger,
6 Holley, Jones, Livingston, Marsh, McClendon, Melson, Orr,
7 Reed, Roberts, Sanders-Fortier, Scofield, Sessions, Shelnut,tt,
8 Singleton, Smitherman, Stutts, Waggoner, Ward and Williams
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10 First Read: 05-MAR-19

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8 COMMENDING THE CENTRAL-PHENIX CITY FOOTBALL TEAM ON
9 WINNING THE 2018 CLASS 7A FOOTBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

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11 WHEREAS, commendations and congratulations are
12 extended to the Central-Phenix City Red Devils Football Team
13 on the outstanding achievement of winning the 2018 Alabama
14 High School Athletic Association Class 7A Football State
15 Championship; and

16 WHEREAS, the victory, a stunning 52-7 win over
17 Thompson at Jordan-Hare Stadium in Auburn, Alabama, was the
18 first state championship for the Red Devils since 1993; and

19 WHEREAS, expert training and leadership were
20 provided by Coach Jamey DuBose, who is in his fifth season as
21 head coach at Central, and who previously spent two seasons at
22 Florence and who served as head coach for the Prattville High
23 School 2008 and 2011 championship teams; and

24 WHEREAS, in addition to the team championship, the
25 Red Devils, who finished with a perfect 14-0 record, tied
26 their single-season school record for wins, which was

1 previously set during the school's 1993 championship season;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, individually and collectively, the
4 Central-Phenix City Red Devils are deserving of recognition in
5 the sporting world and by all citizens of the State of Alabama
6 for their outstanding achievements; now therefore,

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
8 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That with great pride and
9 appreciation, we take pleasure in commending the
10 Central-Phenix City Red Devils Football Team on winning the
11 2018 Alabama High School Athletic Association Class 7A
12 Football State Championship, and by copy of this resolution
13 for appropriate display, we extend heartiest congratulations
14 and best wishes for future success.