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3 By Senators Holley, McClendon, Albritton, Ward, Allen, Price,
4 Stutts, Waggoner, Burkette, Coleman-Madison, Beasley, Figures,
5 Sanders-Fortier, Chesteen, Whatley, Elliott, Butler,
6 Chambliss, Scofield, Sessions, Givhan and Reed
7 RFD:
8 First Read: 18-FEB-20

COMMENDING THE ALABAMA ASSOCIATED GENERAL CONTRACTORS ON CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF BUILDING A BETTER ALABAMA.

WHEREAS, the Alabama Associated General Contractors is celebrating 100 years and has brought together qualified construction contractors and industry-related companies dedicated to skill, integrity, and responsibility since 1920; and

WHEREAS, in the past 100 years, Alabama Associated General Contractor's members have directed and contributed to projects in the building, highway, heavy, and municipal contractor categories; and

WHEREAS, nearly every city and town in Alabama has benefitted from Alabama Associated General Contractors and its members; and

WHEREAS, in 2019, Alabama Associated General Contractors also played a significant role in launching the Hoover City School System's Skills Trade Academy at the Riverchase Career Connection Center, a program designed to

1 advance youth education and fill worker shortages in the
2 construction industry; and

3 WHEREAS, the Associated General Contractors were
4 also instrumental in the passage and implementation of the Go
5 Build Program, which spends one million dollars a year
6 promoting the skilled trades to the state's youth; the Craft
7 Training Act is a natural extension to that, generating money
8 to promote education in the skilled trades statewide; both
9 initiatives are funded by the construction industry and are
10 seen as nationwide models for progressive workforce program;
11 now therefore,

12 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
13 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we take great pride and
14 pleasure in commending the Alabama Associated General
15 Contractors and its members on a bright future and the next
16 century of continued success.