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- 2 By Representatives Hollis, Wood (D)
- 3 RFD: RULES
- 4 First Read: 25-Apr-23
- 5 2023 Regular Session

<u>Enrolled</u>, An Act,
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4 HJR____ COMMENDING THE BIRMINGHAM ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS®
5 FOR THE SUCCESSFUL FAIR HOUSING MONTH 55TH ANNIVERSARY
6 PROCLAMATION TOUR.

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8 WHEREAS, the Birmingham Association of REALTORS® is 9 the premier resource for real estate information in 10 Birmingham and Central Alabama, serving as the "Voice of 11 Real Estate" since 1911, issuing statistical analysis or 12 market conditions and offering legislative support to its 13 more than 5,000 members and the industry at large; and 14 WHEREAS, April 11, 2023, marked the 55th Anniversary

15 of the signing of the Fair Housing Act by President Lyndon 16 B. Johnson, and REALTORS® around the country were called 17 upon to celebrate Fair Housing Month; and

WHEREAS, the Birmingham Association of REALTORS®, and 18 its membership of over 5,000 REALTORS®, share the belief of 19 the National Association of REALTORS® that no person of this 20 21 country should have their right to rent or purchase the 22 shelter of their choice abridged because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, national origin, 23 sexual orientation, or gender identity; and 24 25 WHEREAS, the jurisdiction of the Birmingham

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26 Association of REALTORS® encompasses all of Blount, Clay, 27 Chilton, Jefferson, Randolph, and Shelby Counties; and 28 WHEREAS, the Birmingham Association of REALTORS® 29 launched a campaign to have 55 governmental units declare April as Fair Housing Month and commemorate the 55th 30 31 Anniversary of the passage of this landmark Act; and 32 WHEREAS, the Birmingham Association of REALTORS® received proclamations from the County Commissions of 33 Blount, Clay, Chilton, Jefferson, Randolph, and Shelby 34 35 Counties; and 36 WHEREAS, the Birmingham Association of REALTORS® received proclamations from 49 individual municipalities; 37 38 and 39 WHEREAS, the Birmingham Association of REALTORS® successfully executed the largest Fair Housing Celebration 40 41 in the State of Alabama; now therefore, 42 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH 43 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the Birmingham Association

44 of REALTORS® is hereby commended for accomplishing such a 45 monumental task and continuing to be one of the strongest 46 voices in support of fair and attainable housing in the 47 State of Alabama.

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