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SJR___ COMMENDING MS. SUZANNE RESPESS FOR PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, with very special pleasure, we highly commend Ms. Suzanne Respass for her many professional achievements; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Respass joined Children's of Alabama as the Coordinator of Government Relations in June 1994 and became Vice President, Government Relations, in 2010; her responsibilities include negotiating all federal, state, and local legislation and regulations impacting operations and pediatric health care; she currently serves as Co-Chair of the Business Council of Alabama Federal Affairs Committee, the Business Council of Alabama Board of Directors, the End Childhood Hunger in Alabama Task Force, and the Safety Net Hospital Pharmacy Access Public Policy Council; she holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Consumer Affairs from Auburn University; and

WHEREAS, an immensely distinguished woman, some of Ms. Respass's other achievements over the decades include serving as an Independent Health Care Marketing Consultant from 1989-1990, where she developed educational and



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26 marketing seminars, as well as a product liability insurance
27 program for 500 medical wholesalers and distributors
28 nationwide; serving on the Business Council of Alabama Board
29 of Directors for 16 years and on the Alabama Child Health
30 Insurance Committee for 11 years; having her written
31 articles published numerous times; and being invited to
32 speak at various national, regional, state, and local
33 presentations; and

34 WHEREAS, a woman of unwavering selflessness and
35 diligence who is passionate about serving others, Ms.
36 Respass is indeed a remarkable leader, inspiration, and
37 friend; now therefore,

38 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
39 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Ms. Suzanne Respass is
40 highly commended for her many professional achievements, and
41 we hereby dedicate this resolution to her with warmest
42 appreciation and admiration, along with sincere best wishes
43 for continued happiness and success in all future endeavors.