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3 Carnley, Chambliss, Chesteen, Coleman, Coleman-Madison,
4 Elliott, Figures, Givhan, Gudger, Hatcher, Hovey, Jones,
5 Kelley, Livingston, Melson, Orr, Price, Reed, Roberts,
6 Scofield, Sessions, Shelnut, Singleton, Smitherman, Stewart,
7 Stutts, Waggoner, Weaver, Williams

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SJR___ HONORING MR. JOHN ALLISON TEAGUE, SR. FOR
PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, with very special pleasure, we highly honor
Mr. John Allison Teague, Sr. for his numerous professional
achievements; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Teague was born on July 9, 1944, in
Childersburg, Alabama, to Mayburn and Ralph Teague; he is
the father of Allison, Todd, and John; the husband of Tami
Teague; and the brother of Ralph Judson, Jr. and Ashley
Teague; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Teague graduated from Childersburg High
School in 1962, attended Jacksonville State University from
1962-1963, and attended the United States Fidelity and
Guaranty School of Insurance in 1976; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Teague served as a member of the Alabama
House of Representatives, representing District 55:
Talladega, Childersburg, and Calhoun Counties from
1974-1976; he was elected through a special election to the
Alabama Senate in 1976, where he was reelected for two full
terms; he was elected as President Pro-Tempore of the Senate
by his peers in 1983; as President Pro-Tempore, he was given
a vote on every standing committee for the first time in
Alabama history; he was elected as the Most Outstanding
Senator by his peers in 1984 and 1986; served the State of



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29 Alabama Senate District 19: Talladega, St. Claire, and
30 Calhoun Counties from 1976-1982; and served the State of
31 Alabama Senate District 19: Talladega, Cleburne, Clay,
32 Coosa, and Elmore Counties from 1982-1986; and

33 WHEREAS, Mr. Teague has been the recipient of many
34 profound awards and forms of recognition, including being a
35 charter member of the Board of Trustees for the Alabama
36 Motorsports Hall of Fame from 1975-1987; being a member of
37 the Board of Trustees for Troy State University from
38 1980-1992, where he served on the Executive Committee and
39 the Athletic Committee; being recognized on the cover of
40 Alabama Magazine as The Most Effective Legislator in 1984;
41 receiving the Lyndon Baines Johnson Political Freedom Award
42 by the Alabama Democratic Conference in 1984; being granted
43 a Doctorate of Humane Letters from Talladega College in
44 1984; receiving The University of Montevallo Area Public
45 Official of the Year Award in 1985; being named Alabama
46 Wildlife Federation's Conservationist of the Year in 1986;
47 and being the only person in the nation to receive the
48 prestigious CIT Rebuilding America Award in 1988; in
49 addition, Central Alabama Community College named its first
50 ever scholarship award, The John Teague Scholarship Award,
51 in 1984; the bridge over the Coosa River in Childersburg was
52 named the John A. Teague Bridge in 1987; and the Alabama
53 Legislature and Board of Trustees for the Alabama Institute
54 for the Deaf and Blind named the student center on the
55 school's campus the John A. Teague Student Center in 1989;
56 and



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57 WHEREAS, a man of unwavering selflessness and
58 diligence who is passionate about serving others, Mr. Teague
59 has inspired many throughout his lifetime as a remarkable
60 leader; now therefore,

61 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
62 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Mr. John Allison Teague, Sr.
63 is highly honored for his numerous professional
64 achievements, and we hereby dedicate this resolution to him
65 with warmest appreciation, admiration, and regard.