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4 HJR___ COMMENDING DELORIS BAGSBY FOR HER WORK WITH THE
5 MOBILE JUDICIAL COMMISSION.
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7 WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure,
8 highest commendations and congratulations are conveyed to
9 Deloris Bagsby for her many professional achievements and
10 for her work with the Mobile Judicial Commission; and

11 WHEREAS, Ms. Bagsby, of Eight Mile, Alabama, has
12 served in many capacities throughout her storied career; for
13 over 40 years, she has worked in Human Resource Development,
14 Personnel Administration, and Compensation and Benefits, and
15 she has developed a reputation for being highly motivated,
16 reliable, and detail-oriented with excellent interpersonal
17 skills; and

18 WHEREAS, Ms. Bagsby dedicated more than two decades
19 working in the Alternative Sentencing Department with the
20 Mobile Community Corrections Center, where she was
21 responsible for numerous sentencing aspects within the
22 judicial system including, but not limited to, interviewing
23 both violent and nonviolent offenders; assessing and
24 coordinating treatment and life skills programs;
25 recommending punishing guidelines to both District and
26 Circuit Court Judges; and supervising probation of offenders
27 following sentencing; she retired from the Mobile Community
28 Corrections Center as a Program Coordinator; and



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29 WHEREAS, her unique qualifications made her an
30 excellent addition to the Mobile County Judicial Commission,
31 to which she was appointed in 2021 as a non-lawyer member by
32 Governor Kay Ivey; and

33 WHEREAS, the Mobile County Judicial Commission serves
34 a vital role within the judicial community; when a vacancy
35 occurs on the Mobile County Circuit or District bench due to
36 the retirement or death of a judge during his or her term of
37 office, the Mobile County Judicial Commission accepts
38 applications from attorneys in good standing who are Mobile
39 County residents; the Commission then nominates the top
40 three candidates and submits those names to the Governor,
41 who then appoints the judge from the three candidates; and

42 WHEREAS, Deloris Bagsby has honorably served the
43 people of Mobile County and the members of the Mobile Bar
44 Association during her tenure on the Mobile County Judicial
45 Commission; she has, with unwavering dedication and
46 commitment, worked tirelessly to ensure that whenever there
47 was a judicial vacancy that the best qualified candidates
48 were recommended to the Governor; her efforts, along with
49 those of the other members of the Commission, have left an
50 enduring legacy on the judicial landscape in Mobile County;
51 and

52 WHEREAS, an outstanding member of the community,
53 Deloris Bagsby, through her selfless commitment and
54 dedication, has served to better the quality of life in the
55 Mobile Community, and she has had a measurable positive
56 impact on the lives of its residents; in addition to her



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57 service in the judicial system, she stays active in the
58 community through many organizations, such as the Mobile
59 County HIV Planning and Outreach Committee, Mobile Weed and
60 Seed Community, and the Mobile Alumnae Chapter of Delta
61 Sigma Theta Sorority; now therefore,

62 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
63 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That it is a privilege and
64 pleasure to recognize and honor Deloris Bagsby for the
65 leadership, service, and contributions she has made to the
66 Mobile Judicial Commission, the greater Mobile Community,
67 and all of Alabama; highest commendations are hereby
68 accorded, and a copy of this resolution shall be presented
69 to her with highest tribute and esteem.