

## HJR180 INTRODUCED



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HJR\_\_\_ CELEBRATING THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF YANCEY PARKER'S.

WHEREAS, it is a great pleasure to extend commendations and congratulations to Yancey Parker's, a family-owned clothing store located in Enterprise, Alabama, on the occasion of its 75th Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, on January 3, 1949, Yancey and Evelyn Parker embarked on a business venture by purchasing Joe Callaway's Men's Store; for the past 75 years, Yancey Parker's has steadily grown into a valued and popular mainstay in the small town of Enterprise; and

WHEREAS, the Parker's daughter, Melissa Parker Paul, along with her husband, Addison, now own and operate the premier men's and women's clothing store at 621 Boll Weevil Circle, Suite 23; Melissa, who grew up in the business, earned a fashion merchandising degree; when she married Addison, he added his background in art and interior design to their love for people, clothing, and attention to detail; and

WHEREAS, for 50 years, Yancey Parker's was a men's and boy's clothing store; in 1996, just before its 50th Anniversary, the store expanded to add ladies clothing and accessories; they are currently the largest Brighton dealer in the State of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, in 1976, the Parkers opened a second



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location in Enterprise at Westgate Shopping Center while continuing the flagship store in Downtown Enterprise; and

WHEREAS, for its many achievements in providing quality and value to its customers and its story of lasting perseverance, we are proud to salute Yancey Parker's on attaining this very special milestone; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we honor and congratulate Yancey Parker's, along with the Parker and Paul families, on the celebration of the store's 75th Anniversary, and we wish many years of continued success in all future enterprises.