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HR\_\_\_\_\_ COMMENDING VANESSA SCOTT FOR PROFESSIONAL  
ACHIEVEMENTS.

WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure,  
highest commendations are conveyed to Vanessa Scott for her  
many professional achievements during her career in  
education; and

WHEREAS, Vanessa earned her Bachelor of Arts in  
Journalism from Grambling State University in Grambling,  
Louisiana; she continued her education at Jacksonville State  
University, where she earned a Master of Education in  
English and Language Arts, and a Master of Science in  
Education, and an Education Specialist Degree; she holds an  
Associate Certification in Management of Child Nutrition  
Programs from the University of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, Vanessa retired from Talladega County  
Schools after 34 years; she taught English and Language Arts  
at Winterboro High School for 15 years; she then served in  
many administrative roles in the Talladega County School  
System, including Research Teacher for one year and  
Assistant Principal three years at Talladega County Central  
High School; Principal at Munford Middle School for four  
years; and Principal of Talladega County Central High School  
for four years; she then served as the Coordinator of the  
Child Nutrition Program, retiring after seven years; she



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29 transitioned to work as a Secondary Facilitator for new  
30 teachers; and, since October 2024, serves as the Hearing  
31 Officer for the Talladega County Schools System; and

32 WHEREAS, during her tenure as the Principal of  
33 Talladega County Central High School, Vanessa Scott  
34 instituted the Professional Academy Day (PAD) program; PAD  
35 is a weekly program in which the students and faculty wear  
36 blazers, white shirts or blouses, and khaki pants or skirts,  
37 including ties for the boys; the premise of the program is  
38 for students to visualize their potential for success; on  
39 Thursday each week, teachers focused their lessons on  
40 presentations and activities that give students  
41 opportunities for professional growth; and

42 WHEREAS, Vanessa serves as Vice President of Alpha  
43 Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Mu Tau Omega Chapter and  
44 assists with the sorority's Youth Leadership Institute; she  
45 and her husband of 40 years, Joe Scott, are members of New  
46 Hope Baptist Church in Sylacauga; she enjoys reading,  
47 writing, and public speaking when she is not spending time  
48 with her children, Christopher Scott and Shari Scott  
49 Robinson, her husband, Juwan Robinson, and their children,  
50 Charlee Grace and Grayson; now therefore,

51 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
52 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Vanessa Scott is highly  
53 commended for her professional achievements over the course  
54 of her 34-year career in education and this resolution is  
55 offered to her as evidence of our high regard with best  
56 wishes for continued success and prosperity.