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4 HR_____ COMMENDING HUEYTOWN MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER SHERNELL
5 LEWIS ON BEING NAMED THE 2025-2026 SECONDARY EDUCATION
6 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOLS.
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8 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
9 are herein proudly presented to Shernell Lewis of Hueytown
10 Middle School on her outstanding achievement of being
11 selected as the 2025-2026 Secondary Education Teacher of the
12 Year for Jefferson County Schools; and

13 WHEREAS, Shernell Lewis is an eighth grade Physical
14 Science teacher at Hueytown Middle School and is currently
15 in her seventh year of teaching in Jefferson County Schools;
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17 WHEREAS, she completed her undergraduate studies at
18 The University of Alabama where she earned a Bachelor of
19 Science in Biological Science; she then pursued her graduate
20 studies at The University of Alabama at Birmingham and
21 obtained her Masters in Secondary Education with a
22 concentration in Biology; she also earned a National
23 Certificate for STEM Teaching from the National Institute
24 for STEM Education; and

25 WHEREAS, Ms. Lewis takes pride in providing a
26 welcoming atmosphere, building meaningful relationships with
27 her students, and incorporating innovative lessons to foster
28 student engagement, understanding of science concepts, and



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29 real world application; and

30 WHEREAS, her positive attitude, appreciation for her
31 job, and genuine love of education shine through her
32 laudable actions; she inspires change in her students as she
33 supports their academic and social growth, instilling a
34 passion for learning as they journey through their
35 educational experiences; and

36 WHEREAS, with her commitment to excellence and
37 tireless dedication, Shernell Lewis personifies the finest
38 qualities of those who enrich the lives of Alabama's young
39 people through the noble vocation of education, and she is
40 truly worthy of the significant honor bestowed upon her; now
41 therefore,

42 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
43 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Shernell Lewis is hereby most
44 highly honored and commended for being named as the
45 2025-2026 Secondary Education Teacher of the Year for
46 Jefferson County Schools, and this resolution is offered to
47 her in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with
48 sincere best wishes for continued success in all future
49 endeavors.