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3 By Representative Morris
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4 HR_____ HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF JULIA MAE BENNETT.
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6 WHEREAS, we note with profound sadness of the passing
7 of Julia Mae Bennett, a beloved resident of Montgomery,
8 Alabama, who departed this life on Wednesday, April 30,
9 2025; and

10 WHEREAS, Julia Mae Bennett was born on June 26, 1952,
11 in Montgomery, Alabama, and her roots in this community
12 remained strong throughout her life's journey; and

13 WHEREAS, demonstrating her patriotism and dedication
14 to our nation, Julia Mae Bennett enlisted in the United
15 States Army in 1978 and honorably served for six years until
16 her medical retirement; and

17 WHEREAS, Ms. Bennett continued her commitment to
18 public service through a distinguished 20-year career as a
19 civil servant at Fort Meade Hospital, where she undoubtedly
20 touched the lives of many; and

21 WHEREAS, Julia Mae Bennett possessed a truly generous
22 spirit, dedicating her time and financial resources to
23 numerous worthy causes, including St. Jude Children's
24 Research Hospital, Shriners Hospitals for Children, and the
25 medical research efforts at Johns Hopkins University,
26 reflecting her deep compassion for others; and

27 WHEREAS, she embraced life with enthusiasm,
28 passionately supporting her favorite sports teams, the Los



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29 Angeles Lakers and the Washington Commanders, and keenly
30 following the sport of tennis, while also proudly cheering
31 for her home state team, the Alabama Crimson Tide; and

32 WHEREAS, after spending over four decades away from
33 her cherished home, Julia Mae Bennett made a heartfelt
34 return to Montgomery three years ago, finding her greatest
35 joy in the presence and love of her family and friends; and

36 WHEREAS, the life of Julia Mae Bennett stands as a
37 testament to service, generosity, and the importance of
38 connection with loved ones, leaving an indelible mark on all
39 who knew her; now therefore,

40 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
41 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we hereby express our deepest
42 condolences and heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends
43 of Julia Mae Bennett upon her passing.

44 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we honor the memory of
45 Julia Mae Bennett for her dedicated service to our nation,
46 her commitment to the well-being of others, her vibrant
47 spirit, and her deep appreciation for the bonds of family
48 and community.