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- 2 TAXV159-2
- 3 By Senators Allen, Albritton, Barfoot, Beasley, Bell, Butler,
- 4 Carnley, Chambliss, Chesteen, Coleman, Coleman-Madison,
- 5 Elliott, Figures, Givhan, Gudger, Hatcher, Hovey, Jones,
- 6 Kelley, Kitchens, Livingston, Melson, Orr, Price, Roberts,
- 7 Sessions, Shelnutt, Singleton, Smitherman, Stewart, Stutts,
- 8 Waggoner, Weaver, Williams
- 9 RFD: Rules
- 10 First Read: 18-Feb-25

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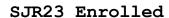


- 1 Enrolled, An Act,
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- 3 SJR COMMENDING COACH NICK SABAN FOR BEING INDUCTED INTO
- 4 THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF
- 5 FAME.
- 6 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations
- 7 are herein proudly presented to Coach Nick Saban for being
- 8 inducted into the National Football Foundation College
- 9 Football Hall of Fame; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Nick Saban, a seven-time national
- 11 championship coach, is the fifth Alabama coach to be elected
- 12 to the College Football Hall of Fame; he completed his
- hall-of-fame career at the conclusion of the 2023 season,
- 14 winning six national championships with Alabama and seven
- 15 overall with his first title coming at LSU in 2003; and
- 16 WHEREAS, a nine-time National Coach of the Year,
- 17 Coach Saban coached collegiate football for 28 seasons,
- 18 producing a 297-71-1 record, including a 206-29 mark in
- 19 Tuscaloosa; his teams at Alabama won nine SEC championships,
- 20 while he captured an additional two more SEC titles with LSU
- 21 in 2001 and 2003; and
- 22 WHEREAS, Coach Saban prepared his players for the
- 23 National Football League (NFL) at a staggering rate,
- 24 coaching 52 first-round draft picks in his career, the most
- 25 by any coach in college football history, including 47 at
- 26 Alabama; during his time in Tuscaloosa, 133 of his players
- 27 were drafted into the NFL with an astonishing 91 going in
- 28 the first three rounds of the draft; and



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29	WHEREAS, in 2021, Bryce Young became Coach Saban's
30	fourth Heisman Trophy winner, tying for the most of any
31	coach in college football history; Saban is the only coach
32	to ever coach Heisman Trophy winners at three different
33	positions; and
3 4	WHEREAS, when Coach Saban arrived on campus, the
35	Alabama football program had just six individual national
36	award winners, but Saban helped his players secure over 60
37	national awards during his time; his players at Alabama won
38	66 All-American honors by 58 different individuals; now
39	therefore,
40	BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
41	HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Coach Nick Saban is highly
42	congratulated for being inducted into the National Football
43	Foundation College Football Hall of Fame, and we hereby
4 4	dedicate this resolution to him with utmost admiration,
45	along with sincere best wishes for continued success in all
46	future endeavors.





President and Presiding Officer of the Senate Speaker of the House of Representatives SJR23 Senate 18-Feb-25 I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and passed the Senate. Patrick Harris, Secretary. House of Representatives Passed: 27-Feb-25 By: Senator Allen