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HJR___ COMMENDING PAUL H. REYNOLDS FOR HIS LONG-STANDING
PUBLIC SERVICE.

WHEREAS, highest commendations are herein proudly
presented to Paul H. Reynolds for outstanding public
service; he has devoted many decades to political and civic
engagement, playing a significant role in the development
and growth of the Republican Party in Alabama; and

WHEREAS, his involvement in politics began in 1964
while attending college, when he worked for a conservative
radio station in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, and participated
in the presidential campaign of United States Senator Barry
Goldwater; and

WHEREAS, over the years, Mr. Reynolds has been
actively involved in numerous political campaigns and party
leadership roles, including supporting Congressman Bill
Dickinson's campaigns, directing the Gerald Ford
presidential campaign in several Alabama counties in 1976,
and assisting with regional efforts supporting President
Ronald Reagan and United States Senator Jeremiah Denton in
1980; and

WHEREAS, in 1974, he was elected to represent Butler
County on the Alabama Republican Party State Executive
Committee, where he served faithfully until 1998, providing
leadership and helping guide the party through decades of



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29 growth and development; and

30 WHEREAS, Mr. Reynolds later served as Chair of
31 Alabama's Second Congressional District for the Alabama
32 Republican Party from 1998 to 2008 and, in 2008, was elected
33 Alabama's National Committeeman to the Republican National
34 Committee, where he contributed to national policy
35 discussions and party leadership; and

36 WHEREAS, among his notable initiatives, Mr. Reynolds
37 helped lay the groundwork for the national "Keep Nine"
38 effort, advocating for a constitutional amendment to
39 maintain the traditional nine-justice structure of the
40 United States Supreme Court; and

41 WHEREAS, Paul H. Reynolds' decades of leadership,
42 dedication, and steadfast commitment to public service have
43 had a lasting and meaningful impact on Alabama's political
44 community and on the many individuals with whom he has
45 worked over the years; now therefore,

46 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
47 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Paul H. Reynolds is highly
48 honored and commended for his distinguished service to the
49 State of Alabama, and this resolution is offered to him in
50 deepest admiration and appreciation for his immeasurable
51 service, as well as with sincere best wishes for continued
52 success in all future endeavors.