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3 By Representatives Morrow and Black
4 RFD: Rules
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2 ENROLLED, House Joint Resolution,

3 COMMENDING LAWRENCE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL ON
4 OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN THE GLOBAL CLASSROOM STEAM
5 CHALLENGE.

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7 WHEREAS, commendations and congratulations are
8 extended to Lawrence County High School on its participation
9 in the Global Classroom STEAM Challenge; and

10 WHEREAS, Samsung Electronics America, Incorporate
11 brought teachers and students from five countries together at
12 the United Nations in New York City to find solutions for
13 sustainable development issues around the globe; and

14 WHEREAS, Lawrence County High School partnered with
15 international counterparts from Brazil, China, Korea, and
16 Tunisia over a 10-week period to develop solutions to issues
17 in their respective communities; and

18 WHEREAS, focusing on economic, environmental, and
19 social issues, the students were challenged to work
20 collaboratively to use STEAM (science, technology,
21 engineering, arts, and math) skills to build out possible
22 solutions that align with the United Nations Sustainable
23 Development Goals; and

24 WHEREAS, using a virtual classroom platform
25 developed by IVECA, students worked in tandem with their

1 international partner school to identify issues in their local
2 communities, share perspectives and develop their
3 presentations; and

4 WHEREAS, participants in the Global STEAM Challenge
5 are students, James Huang, Erica McKelvey, Brady Cross, Alonzo
6 Castro, Amelia Martines, Lauryn Robinson, Patti Ann Smith,
7 Savannah Graham, Lauren Mayes, Thomas McCullough, Jacob
8 Pearson, Paul Logston, Caleb Wilson, and Maggie Shelton, and
9 teachers, BeLinda Cross and Amy Speegle; now therefore,

10 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
11 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That in recognition of their
12 outstanding achievement, Lawrence County High School is highly
13 commended, and this resolution is offered in tribute to the
14 Global Classroom STEAM Challenge team with best wishes in all
15 future endeavors.

