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8 RECOGNIZING TABBY WOOTEN AND HER GOAL OF REACHING  
9 5,000 VALENTINE CARDS.

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11 WHEREAS, it is with highest commendation that we  
12 recognize Tabby Wooten of Gadsden, Alabama, and her goal of  
13 reaching a total of 5,000 Valentine Cards in 2014; and

14 WHEREAS, Tabby Wooten was born with Down Syndrome  
15 into a loving family with countless friends who are supporting  
16 her in the quest for Valentine Cards; and

17 WHEREAS, Tabby Wooten collects "Heart Cards" in  
18 celebration of her favorite holiday, Valentine's Day; in 2013,  
19 with support from Facebook connections, she received 3,000  
20 cards from all over the nation and even some from abroad, and  
21 the story was covered on network television; and

22 WHEREAS, Good Morning America has featured the  
23 project and promised that if Tabby Wooten reaches her goal of  
24 5,000 cards this year, she and another person of her choice  
25 will receive an expense-paid trip to New York City to appear  
26 on the popular morning program; and

1                   WHEREAS, Tabby Wooten is an inspiration to everyone  
2 she encounters, and Valentine greetings bring her joy with  
3 their message of love and caring and sharing; now therefore,

4                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
5 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Tabby Wooten, her family, and  
6 friends are herein most highly honored and commended, and this  
7 resolution is offered with hope for success in meeting the  
8 goal of 5,000 cards on Valentine's Day, along with best wishes  
9 far into the future.