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3 By Representative Sanderford
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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MR. FRANK HENDERSON RIDDICK.

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10 WHEREAS, we deeply regret and are greatly saddened
11 to learn of the death of Mr. Frank Henderson Riddick of
12 Huntsville, Alabama, on December 28, 2015, at 86 years of age;
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14 WHEREAS, the passing of Mr. Riddick leaves a void in
15 the lives of his loving family, many friends, and the entire
16 community, where he was highly regarded; and

17 WHEREAS, a Huntsville native, Mr. Riddick served
18 with the United States Army during the Korean War before
19 graduating from Auburn University; he was employed with the
20 Redstone Arsenal Army Missile Command and Teledyne Brown
21 Engineering; and

22 WHEREAS, the son of a Madison County Sheriff, Mr.
23 Riddick served the citizens of Huntsville and Madison County
24 as a member of the Huntsville City Council and the Alabama
25 House of Representatives; and

26 WHEREAS, Mr. Riddick retired as Probate Judge of
27 Madison County in 2000 before becoming Director of

1 Governmental Affairs for the Huntsville Area Association of
2 Realtors; he served on numerous local boards including the
3 Madison County Mental Health Board and the Harris Home for
4 Children; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Riddick was a faithful and devoted
6 member of Chase Park Church of Christ; and

7 WHEREAS, survivors include his beloved and devoted
8 wife of 59 years, Barbara McDaniel Riddick; son, Madison
9 County Commissioner Phil Riddick (Rebecca); daughter, Teresa
10 Chilek (Greg); sisters, Miriam Riddick Dendy and Minnie
11 Frances Riddick Nash; and grandson, Steven Henderson Riddick;
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13 WHEREAS, Mr. Riddick was a valued member of the
14 community; although his presence is greatly missed, his memory
15 is cherished in the hearts and minds of all those who were
16 fortunate enough to know him; now therefore,

17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
18 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That while grieving the death of
19 Mr. Frank Henderson Riddick, we are extremely grateful for his
20 abundant life, and we offer this resolution in highest tribute
21 to his inspiring legacy, as well as in heartfelt sympathy to
22 his family and friends.