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8 COMMENDING MR. AND MRS. HENRY DWAIN BYRD ON THEIR  
9 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

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11 WHEREAS, it is a great pleasure to extend  
12 commendations and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dwain  
13 Byrd of Hamilton, Alabama, on the occasion of celebrating  
14 their 50th Wedding Anniversary on January 8, 2010; and

15 WHEREAS, Henry Dwain Byrd and Willie Jay Byrd said  
16 their solemn wedding vows on January 8, 1960, pledging  
17 themselves to a lifetime together; and

18 WHEREAS, their union was blessed with three children  
19 who embarked upon their own life journeys but continue to  
20 maintain the loving ties of family: Roger (Heidi) Byrd, Karl  
21 (GiGi) Byrd, and Lisa (Tom) Jackson, all of whom joined in  
22 honoring Mr. and Mrs. Byrd with a gala reception on January 3,  
23 2010, at the Happy Hill Church of God of Prophecy in Hamilton,  
24 where members of the extended family and devoted friends  
25 shared memories and paid tribute to the exemplary couple; and

1           WHEREAS, the longevity of the Byrds' marriage is  
2 eloquent testimony to their loving commitment and their  
3 strength of character; and

4           WHEREAS, attaining the milestone of the Golden  
5 Wedding Anniversary is a coveted goal of all couples and a  
6 cause for great rejoicing; and

7           WHEREAS, after five decades, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd  
8 continue to be an inspiration to all those who are privileged  
9 to know them; now therefore,

10           BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
11 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dwain Byrd  
12 are heartily congratulated on the occasion of celebrating  
13 their 50th Wedding Anniversary, and this resolution is offered  
14 in highest tribute to them along with best wishes for  
15 continuing happiness together.