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179907-2:n:09/06/2016:JEC/jec LRS2016-2932R1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 MOURNING THE DEATH AND CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF 8 CONSERVATIVE ICON AND ACTIVIST PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY. 9 10 11 WHEREAS, we deeply regret and are greatly saddened 12 to learn of the death of conservative icon and activist 13 Phyllis Schlafly and we uplift her inspiring life and legacy with utmost reverence and respect; and 14 15 WHEREAS, the passing of Phyllis Schlafly leaves a 16 void in the lives of countless Americans whom she greatly 17 impacted with her powerful example and advocacy; and 18 WHEREAS, Phyllis Schlafly is renowned for the tremendous strides she has made for women through her 19 20 assistance in promoting and defending conservative issues in 21 the 1970s, her founding of the Eagle Forum, which strongly 22 champions low taxes, a substantial military, and an 23 English-only education, and her self-published book, "A Choice 24 Not an Echo," among many other remarkable achievements; and 25 WHEREAS, known as the sweetheart of the silent 26 majority, Phyllis Schlafly lit a fire in the souls of many 27 through her staunch defense of American values; credited with

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teaching millions of people how to participate in self-government, she has been described as a visionary, a unifier, and a voice of conscience for more than six decades; and

5 WHEREAS, Phyllis Schlafly was a valued member of 6 society; although her presence is greatly missed, her memory 7 is cherished in the hearts and minds of all those who were 8 fortunate enough to know her; now therefore,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF 10 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That while grieving the death of 11 Phyllis Schlafly, we are extremely grateful for her abundant 12 life, and we offer this resolution in highest tribute to her 13 legacy, as well as in heartfelt sympathy to her family and 14 friends.

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