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By Representative Ford

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MOURNING THE DEATH OF MR. DOYLE JACKSON BARCLAY, SR.

WHEREAS, with profound sorrow and regret, we receive news of the death of Mr. Doyle Jackson Barclay, Sr., of Gadsden, Alabama, on January 21, 2012, at the age of 86 years; and

WHEREAS, the passing of Mr. Barclay leaves a void in the lives of his loving family, his many friends, and the entire community, where he was highly regarded; he was a successful commercial painting contractor and general building contractor for more than 50 years until retirement; and WHEREAS, born on March 29, 1925, he was the son of Alfred and Unalee Barclay and was the youngest of 12 children; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Barclay was a proud veteran who served with honor and distinction in the United States Navy in World War II, from 1943-1946; he loved the Lord, was of the Baptist faith, and was an avid horseman and hunter who enjoyed living life fully; and

WHEREAS, survivors include his sister, Jan Mindak; his children, Jackie (Dee) Barclay, Mark (Susan) Barclay, Joan (Mickey) Lee, and Dohna Hocevar; 12 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews; and WHEREAS, in addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his first wife, Wilma J. Barclay; six sisters; and four brothers; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Barclay was a valued member of the community; although his presence will be greatly missed, his memory will be cherished in the hearts and minds of those who were fortunate to know him; now therefore, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the death of Mr. Doyle Jackson Barclay, Sr., is recorded with deep sadness, and this resolution is offered in tribute to his life, along with heartfelt sympathy to his grieving family.

