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3 By Senators Irons, Allen, Beason, Bedford, Blackwell,  
4 Brewbaker, Bussman, Coleman, Dial, Dunn, Fielding, Figures,  
5 Glover, Hightower, Holley, Holtzclaw, Keahey, Marsh, McGill,  
6 Orr, Pittman, Reed, Ross, Sanders, Sanford, Scofield,  
7 Singleton, Smith, Smitherman, Taylor, Waggoner, Ward, Whatley  
8 and Williams  
9 RFD:  
10 First Read: 02-MAY-13

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4 ENROLLED, SJR110,

5 COMMENDING SENATOR WILLIAM MARTIN BEASLEY, SR., FOR  
6 OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT.

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8 WHEREAS, it is a tremendous pride and privilege to  
9 recognize our good friend and colleague, Senator William  
10 Martin (Billy) Beasley, Sr., for outstanding professional  
11 achievement; and

12 WHEREAS, Senator Beasley has contributed exceptional  
13 service as a practicing pharmacist for 50 years; notably, he  
14 is a recipient of pharmacy's most prestigious award, the Bowl  
15 of Hygeia; and

16 WHEREAS, he served District 84 for three terms as a  
17 member of the Alabama House of Representatives; with an  
18 unwavering commitment to excellence, he has served Senate  
19 District 28 since 2010; and

20 WHEREAS, Senator Beasley is a member of  
21 organizations including the Alabama Pharmacy Association, of  
22 which he has served as President, the National Association of  
23 Retail Pharmacists, the Eufaula/Barbour County Chamber of  
24 Commerce; he is past President of the Clayton Rotary Club; and

1           WHEREAS, born March 19, 1940, he graduated from  
2 Clayton High School in 1958 and completed pharmacy school at  
3 Auburn University in 1962; he served as President of the  
4 Auburn University School of Pharmacy during his senior year;  
5 in January 1964, he joined the Army and served in the U.S.  
6 Army Medical Service Corps, stationed in San Antonio, Texas,  
7 at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; over the  
8 course of his distinguished career, he has practiced pharmacy  
9 in Clanton, owned a drug store in Montgomery, opened a drug  
10 store in Greenville, opened a drug store in his hometown of  
11 Clayton, worked with a drug store chain in Tuscaloosa,  
12 purchased Louisville Drug Store, purchased Clayton Drug Store,  
13 and reopened Clio Drug Store; currently, he and his partner  
14 own drug stores in Clayton and Clio; and

15           WHEREAS, Senator Beasley is married to Rebecca  
16 Parish Beasley, Mayor of Clayton, and has five children and 12  
17 grandchildren; he is an active member of Clayton United  
18 Methodist Church; and

19           WHEREAS, through the years, Senator Beasley has  
20 earned immense respect for his tireless dedication and  
21 exceptional abilities, and he is truly deserving of special  
22 recognition; now therefore,

23           BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
24 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Senator William Martin  
25 Beasley, Sr., is highly honored and commended, and this

1 resolution is offered to him in sincere congratulations on 50  
2 years as a practicing pharmacist.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution  
originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

Patrick Harris  
Secretary

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House of Representatives  
Adopted: 09-MAY-13

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By: Senator Irons