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4 Brewbaker, Bussman, Chambliss, Coleman-Madison, Dial, Dunn,
5 Figures, Glover, Hightower, Holley, Holtzclaw, Livingston,
6 Marsh, McClendon, Melson, Orr, Pittman, Reed, Ross, Sanders,
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8 MOURNING THE DEATH AND CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF MRS.
9 HILDA LEIGH DISMUKES TAYLOR.

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11 WHEREAS, we deeply regret and are greatly saddened
12 to learn of the death of Mrs. Hilda Leigh Dismukes Taylor of
13 Montgomery, Alabama, on June 1, 2016, at 91 years of age; her
14 passing leaves a void in the lives of her loving family, many
15 friends, and the entire community, where she was highly
16 regarded; and

17 WHEREAS, Mrs. Taylor was a gifted gardener, painter,
18 seamstress, cook, and cake decorator; she has the utmost
19 distinction of developing the first computer department at
20 Southeastern Drug Company; and

21 WHEREAS, one of her greatest joys was spending time
22 with her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and
23 great-great-grandchildren; and

24 WHEREAS, survivors include her five daughters, Linda
25 Cohn (Richard), Teresa Albertus, Cherry Taylor, Alicia
26 Jennings, and Marcella Taylor; eight grandchildren; 13
27 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and her

1 caretaker, Marilyn Richard, whom she came to think of as a
2 "sixth daughter"; she was preceded in death by her son, Ronny
3 Taylor; her husband, Herbert Taylor; grandson, Shane Tusler;
4 and her great-grandchild, Rochelle Taylor; and

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Taylor was a valued member of the
6 community; 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 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
10 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That while grieving the death of
11 Mrs. Hilda Leigh Dismukes Taylor, we are extremely grateful
12 for her abundant life, and we offer this resolution in highest
13 tribute to her legacy, as well as in heartfelt sympathy to her
14 family and friends.