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8 CREATING THE ALABAMA-GEORGIA JOINT LEGISLATIVE

9 COMMITTEE.

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11 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH 12 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That there is hereby created the 13 Alabama-Georgia Joint Legislative Committee. The committee 14 shall be composed of three members of the House of 15 Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House; 16 and three members of the Alabama Senate, two appointed by the 17 Lieutenant Governor and one appointed by the Senate President Pro Tempore. The chair and vice chair of the committee shall 18 be elected at the first meeting by the members of the 19 committee. The committee shall meet with their counterparts 20 21 from Georgia to discuss and review issues that are common to 22 both states and to seek common solutions to common problems. 23 The intent of this committee is to promote a better working 24 relationship with our neighbors to the East as we move forward 25 into the 21st Century, and to foster and encourage good will 26 and a cooperative relationship with the State of Georgia.

Upon the request of the chair, the Secretary of the 1 2 Senate and the Clerk of the House shall provide the clerical assistance necessary for the committee's work. The committee 3 4 shall report to the Legislature not later than the 10th legislative day of each Regular Session. The committee shall 5 6 continue to exist from quadrennium to quadrennium and may file 7 such future reports as are required or as are deemed appropriate by the committee. Each member of the committee 8 shall be entitled to his or her regular legislative 9 10 compensation, but shall not be entitled to his or her per diem 11 or travel expenses for each day he or she attends a meeting of 12 the committee.