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3 By Representative Brown (K)
4 RFD:
5 First Read: 25-APR-19

COMMENDING DR. REBECCA O. TURNER FOR OUTSTANDING
SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP TO JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY.

WHEREAS, we take great pride and pleasure in paying
tribute to the outstanding service and professional leadership
Dr. Rebecca O. Turner has provided to the students, faculty,
and staff at Jacksonville State University for thirty-eight
years as a faculty member, department head, and administrator;
and

WHEREAS, Dr. Turner has provided innovative and
insightful leadership to the faculty throughout her
seventeen-year tenure as Provost and Vice President for
Academic Affairs, much of that time during which she also
provided guidance to the Office of Student Affairs; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Turner has brought much acclaim to
Jacksonville State University through her research and
professional and community activities; and

WHEREAS, her academic credentials include the
Bachelor of Arts in Social Work from Montevallo University,
Social Science Education Certificate from Auburn University,

1 Master of Social Work, Minor in Higher Education
2 Administration and Leadership, and Doctor of Social Work, from
3 The University of Alabama; and

4 WHEREAS, Dr. Turner has served on more than 50
5 university committees, has served as the university liaison to
6 Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on
7 Colleges (SACSCOC), and Chair of the University Council and
8 University Deans Council, Strategic Planning Committee, the
9 University Budget Committee, the Academic Support Committee of
10 Student Athletes, the CORE Executive Committee, and the
11 Advisory Board for the Research Center for Veterans Support
12 Services; now therefore,

13 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
14 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Dr. Rebecca O. Turner is honored
15 and commended in recognition of her outstanding record of
16 achievements, and that a copy of this resolution of tribute be
17 provided to Dr. Rebecca O. Turner as evidence of the
18 admiration and esteem of the citizens of the State of Alabama.