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3 By Representative Coleman
4 RFD:
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CELEBRATING THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE JEFFERSON
COUNTY ALUMNAE CHAPTER OF DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.

WHEREAS, with immense pride and special pleasure, we
hereby congratulate the Jefferson County Alumnae Chapter of
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., on its milestone 25th
Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., was
founded on January 13, 1913, by 22 collegiate women at Howard
University to promote academic excellence and to provide
assistance to those in need; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.,
is an organization of college-educated women who are committed
to the constructive development of its members; Delta Sigma
Theta Sorority, Inc., is a private, not-for-profit
organization whose purpose is to provide assistance and
support through established programs in local communities
throughout the world; more than 200,000 women have joined; the
organization is a sisterhood of predominantly black,
college-educated woman and currently has 1,000 collegiate and
alumnae chapters located in the United States, Japan (Tokyo

1 and Okinawa), Germany, the Virgin Islands, Bermuda, the
2 Bahamas, Jamaica, and the Republic of Korea; and

3 WHEREAS, the Jefferson County Alumnae Chapter of
4 Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., was chartered in Birmingham,
5 Alabama, on May 7, 1994; the ceremony was officiated by Lois
6 J. Gilder, Director of the Southern Region, and Deborah C.
7 Thomas, Ed.D., National Scholarships and Standards Committee,
8 Southern Region; the charter members are Emma Allen, Frieda
9 Bush, Olinda Cook, Joyce Early, Marie Garner, Vernandi R.
10 Greene, Deboraha J. Harris, Linda Harris, Sandra Hosley,
11 Jothany James, Tracey Key Rogers, Janice K. Madison, Brendette
12 Green, Katrina McTyer, Wyteria Montgomery, Carnella Greene
13 Norman, Ellen Phillips, Cynthia Portis, Delores Rhetta, Gina
14 Robertson, Rosalind Short, Alicia Thomas, Pearlie G. Thomas,
15 and Janet G. Williams; and

16 WHEREAS, the Jefferson County Alumnae Chapter of
17 Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., is committed towards
18 implementing the Five-Point Programmatic Thrust by sponsoring
19 public service projects; it is indeed a remarkable
20 organization; now therefore,

21 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
22 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we highly congratulate the
23 Jefferson County Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta
24 Sorority, Inc., upon the momentous occasion of its 25th
25 Anniversary, and we dedicate this resolution to the
26 organization in utmost esteem.