

SJR12 ENROLLED



1 0HB5C6-2
2 By Senator Allen
3 RFD: RULES
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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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4 SJR___ DESIGNATING THE BRIDGE ON MCFARLAND BOULEVARD THAT
5 SPANS INTERSTATE 20 AND INTERSTATE 59 AS THE LUTHER STANCEL
6 PATE III MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

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8 WHEREAS, it is with highest accolade that this body
9 designates the bridge on McFarland Boulevard that spans
10 Interstate 20 and Interstate 59 as the Luther Stancel Pate
11 III Memorial Bridge; and

12 WHEREAS, Luther Stancel Pate III was born on October
13 30, 1936, in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and lived his entire life
14 in Buhl, Alabama, a small community about 15 miles west of
15 Tuscaloosa; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Pate was a member of Cornelius Chapel
17 Baptist Church in Buhl; he believed in the qualities of good
18 character and integrity and his word and handshake were as
19 good as gold; he had a passion for farming and believed that
20 anything worth doing was worth doing right to the best of
21 your ability; and

22 WHEREAS, Mr. Pate lived by example and worked hard to
23 provide a good life for his four children; his life was cut
24 short at the age of 31 as a result of a tragic accident at
25 Rice Mine Road and McFarland Boulevard on June 14, 1968; his



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26 memory will not be forgotten; now therefore,

27 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
28 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the bridge on McFarland
29 Boulevard that spans Interstate 20 and Interstate 59 is
30 designated as the Luther Stancel Pate III Memorial Bridge.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Department of
32 Transportation is requested to coordinate with governing
33 officials on fabricating and erecting appropriate signs or
34 markers, consistent with applicable requirements and laws,
35 in recognition of this designation.



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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Senate 20-Apr-23

I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and passed the Senate.

Patrick Harris,
Secretary.

House of Representatives

Passed: 23-May-23

By: Senator Allen