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3 By Senators Bussman, Albritton, Allen, Beasley, Blackwell,
4 Brewbaker, Chambliss, Coleman-Madison, Dial, Dunn, Figures,
5 Glover, Hightower, Holley, Holtzclaw, Livingston, Marsh,
6 McClendon, Melson, Orr, Pittman, Reed, Sanders, Sanford,
7 Scofield, Shelnutt, Singleton, Smith, Smitherman, Stutts,
8 Waggoner, Ward, Whatley and Williams
9 RFD:
10 First Read: 15-MAR-18

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8 COMMENDING LIEUTENANT COLONEL HARVEY L. YARBOROUGH
9 FOR EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE TO THE CIVIL AIR PATROL.

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11 WHEREAS, we take great pride and pleasure in
12 commending Lieutenant Colonel Harvey L. Yarborough for
13 extraordinary service to the Civil Air Patrol; and

14 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Colonel Harvey L. Yarborough
15 contributes exceptional direction as Alabama Wing's Primary
16 Emergency Services Officer and Assistant Director of
17 Operations and in overseeing Emergency Services Teams in
18 actual missions; notably, he represented the Southeast Region
19 as Incident Commander for Disaster Response to Hurricanes Irma
20 and Maria in Puerto Rico; and

21 WHEREAS, Lieutenant Colonel Harvey L. Yarborough
22 served as Squadron Commander and as the Deputy Commander of
23 Cadets for the Cullman Squadron before entering his first Wing
24 Staff position as Director of Emergency Services in 2014; he
25 currently serves as a Mission Pilot, Communications Officer,
26 and as the Mission Aircrew School Lead for the Alabama Wing
27 Emergency Services School (WESS); and

1 WHEREAS, among his many awards and honors are the
2 Meritorious Service Award, Commanders Commendation, Senior
3 Member of the Year, Incident Staff Member of the Year, Counter
4 Drug Officer of the Year, and the Wing Staff Officer of the
5 Year Awards, the Gil Robb Wilson Award, and the Department of
6 the ARMY Commanders Award for Public Service; and

7 WHEREAS, with much honor, Lieutenant Colonel Harvey
8 L. Yarborough served 14 years in the Army National Guard as a
9 Depot Level Helicopter Mechanic/Crew Chief; he earned a
10 Bachelor of Science Degree in Agriculture from Mississippi
11 State University with majors in Ornamental Horticulture and
12 Business Management and worked in the field of University and
13 Hospital Physical Plant Administration and as a Litigation
14 Computer Consultant/Trainer before retiring in 2016; and

15 WHEREAS, through the years, he has earned widespread
16 respect for the commitment and capability he brought to every
17 challenge while compiling an outstanding record of leadership;
18 now therefore,

19 BE IT RESOLVED THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
20 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Lieutenant Colonel Harvey L.
21 Yarborough is commended for extraordinary service to the Civil
22 Air Patrol, and this resolution is offered in highest tribute
23 and deepest appreciation on behalf of the citizens of the
24 State of Alabama.