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3 By Senators Allen, Singleton, Reed, Waggoner, Marsh,
4 Albritton, Beasley, Blackwell, Brewbaker, Bussman, Chambliss,
5 Coleman, Dial, Dunn, Figures, Glover, Hightower, Holley,
6 Holtzclaw, Livingston, McClendon, Melson, Orr, Pittman, Ross,
7 Sanders, Sanford, Scofield, Shelnut, Smith, Smitherman,
8 Stutts, Ward, Whatley, and Williams
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10 First Read: 21-MAY-15

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8 COMMENDING JASON HOFF FOR PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT
9 AND DEDICATED SERVICE.
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11 WHEREAS, it is with highest commendation and esteem
12 that Mr. Jason Hoff is recognized for his outstanding
13 professional service and achievements as President and CEO of
14 Mercedes-Benz U.S. International (MBUSI) in Vance, Alabama,
15 since July 1, 2013; and

16 WHEREAS, immediately prior to returning to MBUSI,
17 Mr. Hoff was with the company's headquarters in Stuttgart,
18 Germany, where he was an overseer in global
19 procurement-related preparations for the redesigned C-Class
20 sedan, which began production for the North American market in
21 Alabama in 2014; and

22 WHEREAS, the C-Class Sedan recently won the
23 distinction of World Car of the Year 2015 at the New York
24 International Auto Show; it is built in Bremen, Germany, New
25 London, South Africa, Beijing, and Vance, Alabama, and it is

1 the automaker's top-selling vehicle in the United States and
2 worldwide; and

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Hoff returned to MBUSI where he
4 previously served many years in various capacities; until
5 November 2010, Mr. Hoff was Vice President of Logistics at
6 MBUSI; with his remarkable abilities and steadfast direction,
7 it is certain that Mr. Hoff will continue to ably lead MBUSI
8 into the future; and

9 WHEREAS, indeed, the distinguished professional
10 successes and impressive leadership of Mr. Hoff at MBUSI, have
11 had a profound impact upon the economic and business
12 environment of the State of Alabama, and have reflected great
13 credit upon his family, his community, and the State of
14 Alabama; now therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
16 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That in recognition of his
17 outstanding professional career and service to the State of
18 Alabama, highest commendation and congratulations are hereby
19 accorded Jason Hoff, President and CEO of Mercedes-Benz U.S.
20 International, and a copy of this resolution is provided as
21 evidence of our sincere appreciation and admiration.