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Enrolled, House Joint Resolution,
COMMENDING MR. AND MRS. RICHARD P. CRIGLER, SR., ON THEIR 50TH
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

WHEREAS, heartiest congratulations are herein
extended to Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Crigler, Sr., of Mobile,
Alabama, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary;
Mr. and Mrs. Crigler will be honored at a gala celebration on
February 17, 2000, at the Bienville Club in Mobile and will
continue their celebration with a trip to Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, also, on Sunday, February 13, 2000, Mr. and
Mrs. Crigler's 50th Wedding Anniversary will be recognized by
their church, Dauphin Way Baptist, with their family in
attendance; in their honor, flowers will be placed in the
sanctuary and foyer of the church by their children and
grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Richard and Mary Ann Arant Crigler were
united in Holy Matrimony on February 17, 1950, in Mobile,
Alabama, and have built a solid marriage walking side by side
and hand in hand throughout the years; and

WHEREAS, Richard Crigler was born on January 28,
1931, in West Point, Mississippi, and graduated from Murphy
High School in 1949; he received a bachelor's degree in Civil
Engineering from Auburn University in 1961 and was licensed by
the State of Alabama as a Professional Engineering and Land
Surveyor in 1967; and

1 WHEREAS, during Mr. Crigler's professional career,
2 he worked for the City of Mobile and was employed with the G.
3 M. and O. Railroad in the Engineering Division Maintenance of
4 Way; he was self employed from 1972 to 1996 with the Alabama
5 Construction and Railroad Maintenance Corporation; and

6 WHEREAS, Richard Crigler was ordained a deacon at
7 the Navco Baptist Church on September 24, 1974, and has been a
8 member and department director at Dauphin Way Baptist Church
9 since 1984; and

10 WHEREAS, Mary Ann Arant Crigler was born on May 23,
11 1932, in Birmingham, Alabama; at age 14, she worked at Albrite
12 and Woods Drug Store and, later, she was employed at Brookley
13 Field from 1952 to 1961; and

14 WHEREAS, Richard and Mary Ann Crigler are the proud
15 parents of seven children, Richard Phillip Crigler, Jr.;
16 Robert Gary Crigler, Sr.; Raymond Michael Crigler; Ronald
17 Stephen Crigler, Sr., Reginald Kearney Crigler; Mary Crigler
18 Lynn; and Roderick Leigh Crigler, and the loving grandparents
19 of 17 grandchildren; and

20 WHEREAS, the lasting partnership of Richard and Mary
21 Ann Crigler is a splendid example of love and trust, and they
22 are to be praised on their long and happy marriage and
23 commended for the accomplishments of their lives together; now
24 therefore,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
26 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Mr. and Mrs. Richard P.

1 Crigler, Sr., are congratulated on the momentous occasion of
2 their 50th Wedding Anniversary and, by copy of this
3 resolution, conveyed best wishes for many more years of
4 continued happiness.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within House Joint
Resolution originated in and was adopted by the House
03-FEB-2000.

Greg Pappas
Clerk

Senate

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Adopted