

HJR233 ENROLLED



1 GUMYC2-2
2 By Representative Clarke
3 RFD: RULES
4 First Read: 23-May-23
5 2023 Regular Session



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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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3 COMMENDING NYLA JACKSON ON RECEIVING THE CLEOPHUS
4 THOMAS AWARD.

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6 WHEREAS, highest commendations are herein presented
7 to Nyla Jackson on receiving the Cleophus Thomas Award from
8 The University of Alabama's Black Faculty and Staff
9 Association; and

10 WHEREAS, the award is named for the first
11 African-American graduate of The University of Alabama and
12 is presented to the University's graduating senior who has
13 the highest grade point average in the class; and

14 WHEREAS, Nyla Jackson was one of 23 students to
15 receive the award in 2023; and

16 WHEREAS, Ms. Jackson, a graduate of Saraland High
17 School, enrolled at The University of Alabama in Fall 2020
18 and received two other awards from the University based on
19 her outstanding grade point average - the Archie Wade Award
20 in 2022 as a junior and the Ernestine Tucker Award in 2021
21 as a sophomore; and

22 WHEREAS, she was named to the Dean's List in Fall
23 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022, and Fall 2022;
24 and the President's List for Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Spring
25 2022, and Fall 2022; and the Dean's and President's List
26 have not been published for Spring 2023; and

27 WHEREAS, Ms. Jackson received a Bachelor of Science
28 Degree in Hospitality Management from the College of Human



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29 Environmental Sciences in May 2023; now therefore,
30 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
31 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Ms. Nyla Jackson is highly
32 commended for receiving the Cleophus Thomas Award and many
33 other honors, and this resolution hereby serves as a tribute
34 to her with heartiest admiration and regard.



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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 Act originated in
and was passed by the House 25-MAY-23.

John Treadwell
Clerk

Senate **31-May-23** Adopted