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- 1 QH9U11-2
- 2 By Representatives Brown, Givens, Stringer, Hollis, Lipscomb,
- 3 Kirkland, Lomax, Hassell, Hulsey, Travis
- 4 RFD: RULES
- 5 First Read: 06-Apr-23

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4	HJR CELEBRATING THE RETIREMENT OF CHIEF JIMMIE FLANAGAN.
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6	WHEREAS, Chief Jimmie Flanagan served the State of
7	Alabama in an exemplary manner as the Chief of Police for
8	the Alabama Port Authority from January 2009 until May 2023;
9	and
10	WHEREAS, the Alabama Port Authority Police Department
11	is the third largest in Mobile County; and
12	WHEREAS, Chief Jimmie Flanagan joined the Alabama
13	Port Authority as Assistant Chief in 2004 after a
14	distinguished career in Alabama law enforcement leadership
15	roles prior to his appointment, including, Chief of Police
16	for the Elberta Police Department; Captain and Chief
17	Investigator for the Foley Police Department; and Commander
18	of the Patrol Division of the Gadsden Police Department; and
19	WHEREAS, Chief Flanagan's law enforcement career in
20	Alabama spans a remarkable 50 years from patrolman to police
21	chief; and
22	WHEREAS, prior to entering law enforcement, Chief
23	Flanagan served his country with honor in the United States
24	Army during the Vietnam War and, subsequently, as a member
25	of the Alabama National Guard where he retired as First
26	Sergeant of the 258th Chemical Battalion in Gadsden,
27	Alabama; and
28	WHEREAS, Chief Flanagan is a 1981 graduate of



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29 Jacksonville State University with a Bachelor of Science 30 Degree in Criminal Justice; in 1985, he graduated from the 31 FBI National Academy; and 32 WHEREAS, Chief Flanagan resides in Spanish Fort, 33 Alabama, with his wife Debbie; he is the proud father of five children, 11 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild; 34 35 and 36 WHEREAS, Chief Jimmie Flanagan will retire from the Alabama Port Authority on April 30, 2023, after 50 years of 37 38 service to local law enforcement agencies and the State of Alabama; now therefore, 39 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH 40 41 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Chief Jimmie Flanagan is 42 hereby commended for his distinguished service as Chief of 43 Police for the Alabama Port Authority and for many years of exemplary law enforcement service, and we offer this 44 45 resolution as evidence of our sincere appreciation and high 46 regard, with best wishes for health and happiness during his

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retirement.

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64		John Treadwell
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