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8	COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING UAH SOFTBALL COACH LES
9	STUEDEMAN ON HER 1,000TH CAREER VICTORY.
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11	WHEREAS, Lorraine "Les" Stuedeman became the
12	softball coach at The University of Alabama in Huntsville in
13	1995; and
14	WHEREAS, Stuedeman passed another career milestone
15	during the 2016-2017 season by recording her 1,000th victory
16	with a 13-6 win over the University of North Alabama; and
17	WHEREAS, she is just the fifth active Division II
18	softball coach to record 1,000 career victories; and
19	WHEREAS, in her 22nd year as UAH'S only softball
20	coach, she is only the 34th NCAA softball coach across all
21	divisions to reach the astonishing 1,000-win mark; and
22	WHEREAS, during her UAH coaching career, the
23	Chargers have been to 19 NCAA tournaments including a current
24	stretch of 14 in a row, and the team owns four South Region
25	titles (1999, 2001, 2009, and 2011) while finishing as the
26	national runner-up in 2009 and 2011; and

WHEREAS, Stuedeman has been honored as the Gulf
South Conference Coach of the Year nine times while leading
her team to eight Gulf South Conference Championships; and
WHEREAS, Stuedeman entered the 2017 season as the
25th winningest coach of all-time across all NCAA divisions
and the sixth winningest coach in Division II history, and her
teams have featured more than 40 All-Americans, 10 GSC Players
or Pitchers of the Year, and seven GSC Freshmen of the Year;
and

WHEREAS, in addition to being a member of the National Fastpitch Coaches Association Hall of Fame, Stuedeman has also been inducted into the Huntingdon College Athletic Hall of Fame for her terrific career as a collegiate player, and she is also a member of the Vestavia Hills Sports Hall of Fame; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Lorraine "Les" Stuedeman is to be commended on her outstanding leadership and coaching at UAH, and by copy of this resolution, we offer her congratulations on her 1,000th victory.