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3 By Senators Reed, Albritton, Allen, Barfoot, Beasley, Butler,
4 Chambliss, Chesteen, Coleman-Madison, Dunn, Elliott, Figures,
5 Givhan, Gudger, Hatcher, Holley, Jones, Livingston, Marsh,
6 McClendon, Melson, Orr, Price, Roberts, Sanders-Fortier,
7 Scofield, Sessions, Shelnutt, Smitherman, Stutts, Waggoner,
8 Weaver, Whatley and Williams
9 RFD:
10 First Read: 09-FEB-22

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4 ENROLLED, SJR35,

5 COMMENDING SENATOR BOBBY SINGLETON FOR HIS
6 DEDICATION TO THE OPENING OF THE PAROLE REENTRY CENTER (PREP)
7 IN PERRY COUNTY, ALABAMA.
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9 WHEREAS, near the town of Uniontown in Senator Bobby
10 Singleton's district, the Perry County Correctional Center was
11 built in 2006, by LCS Corrections Services Inc.; it provided
12 services for Immigrations and Customs Enforcement and the U.S.
13 Marshals Service and has also housed inmates for the Alabama
14 Department of Corrections ; and

15 WHEREAS, the facility has been vacant since its
16 purchase from GEO in 2015; and

17 WHEREAS, Senator Singleton sought funding in the
18 state budget to start a rehabilitation program at the prison
19 in 2018, but it did not materialize; and

20 WHEREAS, Senator Singleton's continued commitment to
21 rehabilitation, reentry and second chances for those o parole
22 in Alabama is to be commended as he has spent countless hours
23 in negotiations which resulted in the state's purchase for the
24 Bureau of Pardons and Paroles of the Perry County Correctional
25 Facility in 2021; and

1 WHEREAS, the Perry County Correctional Facility will
2 now be known as the Paroles Reentry Center (PREP); and

3 WHEREAS, PREP will provide second chances to those
4 who have been previously incarcerated and prepare them for a
5 successful reentry into society; and

6 WHEREAS, society is better and safer by providing
7 rehabilitation and educational opportunities for those on
8 parole and the opening of this center will benefit generations
9 of Alabamians for years to come; now therefore,

10 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
11 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Senator Bobby Singleton is
12 highly honored and commended and this resolution is offered to
13 him in appreciation for his commitment to the reduction of
14 recidivism and to the citizens of the State of Alabama.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution
originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

Patrick Harris,
Secretary.

House of Representatives
Adopted: 16-FEB-22

By: Senator Reed