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4 ENROLLED, SJR15,

5 COMMENDING DR. JON D. TURNER ON HIS OUTSTANDING  
6 CAREER OF SERVICE IN CARDIOLOGY.

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8 WHEREAS, highest commendations and congratulations  
9 are proudly presented to Dr. Jon D. Turner on his outstanding  
10 career of service to others and his retirement from Physician  
11 Care Elkton, effective December 21, 2021; and

12 WHEREAS, Dr. Turner was born in Fayette, Alabama; he  
13 attended college at The University of Alabama and medical  
14 school at The University of Alabama, Birmingham; he completed  
15 his internship and residency at Washington University in St.  
16 Louis, Missouri; after his residency he returned to UAB to  
17 specialize in cardiology; and

18 WHEREAS, in 1979, Dr. Turner moved to Huntsville and  
19 started the cardiovascular center which eventually became the  
20 Heart Center; and

21 WHEREAS, Physician Care Elkton opened in 2016; Drs.  
22 Jon and Nancy Turner had several friends and neighbors who  
23 could not get medical care in a timely fashion; they had two  
24 goals in mind when opening the clinic; the first was to  
25 provide quality medical care to a rural area; the other was to

1 partner with Huntsville Hospital to help reach that goal and  
2 continue to provide care past the Turners' careers; and

3 WHEREAS, Dr. Turner had a helipad installed behind  
4 the clinic since he was going to practice cardiology away from  
5 a major referral center; if someone was acutely ill, he could  
6 get the patient to the hospital quickly; and

7 WHEREAS, Dr. Nancy Turner, M.D. internal medicine  
8 and Tiffany Peel, CNP in cardiology and internal medicine will  
9 remain at the clinic; Tiffany Peel will take over Dr. Turner's  
10 patients; she will focus on treatment and prevention of heart  
11 problems and recognition of disease processes; and

12 WHEREAS, through the years, Dr. Turner has earned  
13 immense respect for his tireless dedication and exceptional  
14 abilities, and he is truly deserving of special recognition;  
15 now therefore,

16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
17 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Dr. Jon D. Turner is highly  
18 honored and commended, and this resolution is offered to him  
19 in deepest admiration and appreciation, along with sincere  
20 best wishes for all future endeavors.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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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.

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