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3 By Senators Keahey, Little (Z), Sanders, Poole, and Bedford  
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8 COMMENDING A TRIAL TEAM FROM CUMBERLAND SCHOOL OF  
9 LAW ON WINNING THE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE AMERICAN  
10 ASSOCIATION OF JUSTICE NATIONAL TRIAL COMPETITION.  
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12 WHEREAS, we note with great pride that a Trial Team  
13 from Cumberland School of Law has won the Regional  
14 Championship of the American Association of Justice (AAJ)  
15 National Trial Association; and

16 WHEREAS, the AAJ competition included 224 teams,  
17 divided into 14 regions comprised of 16 teams within each  
18 region; and

19 WHEREAS, the winning Cumberland team was composed of  
20 Timothy Douthit of Huntsville, Alabama; Shannon Cornman of  
21 Knoxville, Tennessee; Megan Murren of Monroe, Georgia; and  
22 Reanna Todd of Springfield, Tennessee; and coached by Mike  
23 Rasmussen and Marc Jaskolka; they defeated a team from South  
24 Texas College of Law in the semifinals and one from Baylor  
25 University in the finals; and

1           WHEREAS, a separate Trial Team from Cumberland has  
2 won a Regional Championship at the National Trial Competition;  
3 Cumberland School of Law is distinguished as one of very few  
4 schools to have won Regional Championships in both  
5 competitions; now therefore,

6           BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
7 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That we heartily congratulate the  
8 Trial Team from Cumberland School of Law on winning the  
9 Regional Championship of the American Association for Justice  
10 National Trial Competition and that, by copy of this  
11 resolution, we extend our warm best wishes for continued  
12 excellence in the study and practice of law.