IN RECOGNITION OF DR. PAMELA ELAINE HARMAN,
SPAIN PARK HIGH SCHOOL, HOOVER CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM, AS A 2019 SCIENCE PRESIDENTIAL AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE FINALIST

WHEREAS, now that we have entered the 21st century, proficiency in mathematics and science is more important than ever; and

WHEREAS, the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (PAEMST) established by Congress in 1983, are the nation’s highest honor bestowed upon Grades K-12 mathematics and science teachers; and

WHEREAS, fewer than 200 teachers throughout the nation, including Washington, D. C., Puerto Rico, schools of the Department of Defense Education Activity, and the United States territories, are selected each year as state finalists; and

WHEREAS, through the state selection committee, two 2019 state science finalists were chosen from a number of applications in Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Pamela Elaine Harman of Spain Park High School, Hoover City School System, has demonstrated excellence in the Alabama science classroom for 22 years; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Pamela Elaine Harman was chosen as a 2019 finalist in Alabama to receive the award for excellence in science teaching:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby commend and congratulate Dr. Pamela Elaine Harman upon the honor of being selected as one of Alabama’s outstanding teachers of science.

Done this 10th day of October 2019