**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE ALICE OUTLAW VINING OF LEXINGTON COUNTY, ON THE OCCASION OF HER NINETIETH BIRTHDAY, AND TO WISH HER A JOYOUS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION AND MANY YEARS OF CONTINUED HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.

Whereas, the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives are delighted to learn that Alice Outlaw Vining of Lexington County will celebrate her ninetieth birthday on March 7, 2014, surrounded by the love of her dear family and friends; and

Whereas, born in Columbia on March 7, 1924, in the early part of the twentieth century, she witnessed many of the remarkable social changes, technological advancements, and international developments that have spanned the globe from that time into the second decade of the twenty‑first century; and

Whereas, the oldest of four children and the only daughter of George E. and Letha C. Outlaw, Alice Outlaw moved with her family to South Congaree when she was seven years old; and

Whereas, she graduated from Brookland‑Cayce High School at the top of her class and then married her beloved husband, Ernest M. Vining; and

Whereas, together the Vinings reared three fine sons: George, Benjamin, and Bobby. These sons have blessed their parents with an extraordinary legacy of eight adoring grandchildren and fifteen great‑grandchildren; and

Whereas, Mrs. Vining also worked at Vining and Outlaw Garage; McKesson & Robbins, Inc.; and Winn Lovett before she retired from the South Carolina Department of Highways and Public Transportation after almost three decades; and

Whereas, she has been a devoted and lifelong member of Ebenezer Pentecostal Holiness Church where she taught Sunday school to many listening hearts for a number of years; and

Whereas, the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives are pleased to honor this daughter of South Carolina at the celebration of her ninetieth birthday and join with her family and friends in congratulating her on reaching this extraordinary milestone. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, congratulate Alice Outlaw Vining of Lexington County, on the occasion of her ninetieth birthday, and wish her a joyous birthday celebration and many years of continued health and happiness.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be provided to Alice Outlaw Vining.

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