

House Resolution 1148

By: Representative Holmes of the 125<sup>th</sup>

### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Deacon Joe K. Davis; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Deacon Joe K. Davis has demonstrated his commitment to teaching the Gospel,  
3 witnessing Christ through word and deed, and addressing the physical, psychological,  
4 intellectual, and spiritual needs of others; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Deacon Davis has been a deacon of Springfield Missionary Baptist Church for  
6 50 incredible years; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he has been united in love and marriage for 56 wonderful years and blessed  
8 with three remarkable children and several adored grandchildren and great-grandchildren;  
9 and
- 10 WHEREAS, Deacon Davis retired from the air base where he worked after 32 years of loyal  
11 service and the Jasper County Transportation Department after 15 years of dedicated service;  
12 and
- 13 WHEREAS, the unmatched spiritual assistance offered by Deacon Davis is a source of  
14 strength and direction for persons in all walks of life and from all economic strata; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
16 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and
- 17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this enduring example of God's message  
18 of peace and love be recognized and congratulated for his innumerable good works rendered  
19 on behalf of persons in need.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body commend Deacon Joe K. Davis on his many years of service to

22 Springfield Missionary Baptist Church and his community and extend their best wishes for  
23 many more years of successful fellowship and leadership.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Deacon Joe K. Davis.