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4 By: Representatives Wilkins, McKissack, Pappas, Roberts, Schexnayder, and  
5 Angel

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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

9 REQUESTING THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO  
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### Subtitle

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16 HIGHWAY.

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18 WHEREAS, Wiley A. Branton, Sr., was a native son of Arkansas and a  
19 graduate of Arkansas A.M. & N. and the University of Arkansas Law School; and  
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21 WHEREAS, Wiley A. Branton, Sr., was a nationally respected leader in  
22 the civil rights movement; and

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24 WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that a lasting monument be established  
25 in memory of Mr. Branton,

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27 NOW THEREFORE,

28 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTIETH GENERAL  
29 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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31 THAT The House of Representatives hereby requests the Arkansas State  
32 Highway Commission to designate that portion of U.S. Highway 65 under  
33 construction during the 1995 Regular Session of the Arkansas General  
34 Assembly, which begins west of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and ends east of Pine  
35 Bluff, Arkansas, and is currently referred to as the Southern Bypass, as "The

1 Wiley A. Branton, Sr., Highway" and to erect an appropriate marker along that  
2 segment of U.S. Highway 65 reflecting the name "The Wiley A. Branton, Sr.,  
3 Highway".

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5         BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, upon approval of this Resolution, a copy hereof  
6 shall be transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to  
7 the Chairman of the Arkansas State Highway Commission and to the Director of  
8 Highways and Transportation of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation  
9 Department.

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