By: Representatives Scott (17th), Holland To: Rules

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 69 (As Adopted by House)

- A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING MRS. DEBORAH L. NEWMAN ON BEING NAMED THE 1999 MISSISSIPPI TEACHER OF THE YEAR.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Deborah L. Newman, a lady with 27 years of
- 4 teaching experience, was named the 1999 Mississippi Teacher of the
- 5 Year; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Mrs. Newman, a native of Baldwyn, Mississippi,
- 7 graduated from Western Illinois University in 1972 with a bachelor
- 8 of science degree in education; and
- 9 WHEREAS, in 1972, Mrs. Newman took her first job as a teacher
- 10 in Guntown, Mississippi, teaching the first grade in all subject
- 11 areas; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Mrs. Newman also taught the fourth grade in all
- 13 subject areas in Mooreville, Mississippi, for 20 years, and she
- 14 currently teaches integrated reading and social studies to a class
- 15 of sixth graders in Mooreville; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Mrs. Newman, a dedicated teacher, is also a faithful
- 17 wife and mother who has participated in PTA programs and Booster
- 18 Clubs and is actively involved in her church; and
- 19 WHEREAS, during her teaching career, Mrs. Newman has served
- 20 two years on the Superintendent's County Advisory Board,
- 21 represented the school on several textbook adoption committees,
- 22 and she has chaired and served on curriculum development
- 23 committees; and
- 24 WHEREAS, Mrs. Newman has been lovingly supported in all her
- 25 endeavors by her husband, James, and their daughter, Jaimie; and
- 26 WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Mississippi finds it

- 27 most appropriate to recognize and commend outstanding educators
- 28 such as Mrs. Deborah L. Newman, a lady who has dedicated over 27
- 29 years of her life to teaching the young people of this state, who
- 30 are its future:
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
- 32 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
- 33 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend and congratulate Mrs. Deborah
- 34 L. Newman, on being named the 1999 Mississippi Teacher of the Year
- 35 and express our deepest appreciation for her service as an
- 36 elementary school teacher in this state.
- 37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
- 38 furnished to Mrs. Deborah L. Newman, Mooreville Elementary School
- 39 and members of the Capitol Press Corps.