

By: Representative Capps

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 100

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING DR. DON Q. MITCHELL FOR
2 HIS OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN THE FIELD OF MEDICINE.

3 WHEREAS, Dr. Don Q. Mitchell, an allergy and immunology
4 specialist at the University of Mississippi School of Medicine,
5 has made outstanding contributions to the field of medicine
6 throughout his career; and

7 WHEREAS, Dr. Mitchell, a resident of Jackson, Mississippi,
8 was born on August 11, 1942, in Cleveland, Mississippi, and
9 graduated from Cleveland High School in 1960; and

10 WHEREAS, after graduating from high school, Dr. Mitchell
11 furthered his education at Millsaps College, where he earned a
12 bachelor of science degree in biology, and he earned his doctor of
13 medicine degree from the University of Mississippi School of
14 Medicine in 1967; and

15 WHEREAS, throughout his career, Dr. Mitchell's hospital
16 appointments include Chief of Medicine, Medical Executive
17 Committee, Chief of Allergy, Medical Education Committee,
18 Respiratory Therapy Committee, Utilization Review Committee,
19 Patient Education Committee and the Institutional Review Board,
20 which were all at the Mississippi Baptist Medical Center in
21 Jackson, Mississippi; and

22 WHEREAS, certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine
23 and the American Board of Allergy and Immunology, Dr. Mitchell
24 also is part of the consulting staff at St. Dominic's Hospital,
25 Methodist Medical Center and River Oaks Hospital, and is a
26 visiting teaching physician at the University Hospitals and

27 Clinics; and

28 WHEREAS, Dr. Mitchell has served in various leadership
29 positions of several professional organizations such as a delegate
30 to the American Medical Association, former president of the
31 Mississippi State Medical Association, former president of the
32 Central Medical Society, president-elect of the American College
33 of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology and the Board of Governors for
34 the American Association of Certified Allergists; and

35 WHEREAS, Dr. Mitchell has been the principal investigator for
36 clinical research by the Mississippi Asthma and Allergy Clinic,
37 which has conducted nearly 50 research projects, and he has
38 written eleven publications addressing various medical issues; and

39 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
40 and commend excellence, especially when evidenced by outstanding
41 physicians such as Dr. Don Q. Mitchell, whose long and
42 distinguished career has touched the lives of so many patients:

43 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
44 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
45 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend Dr. Don Q. Mitchell for his
46 outstanding accomplishments in the field of medicine and extend to
47 him our heartiest wishes for many years of success in all his
48 future endeavors.

49 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
50 furnished to Dr. Don Q. Mitchell and members of the Capitol Press
51 Corps.