

By: Senator(s) Scoper, Bean, Farris, Carlton To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 557
(As Adopted by House and Senate)

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING MRS. DALE KELLY LOVE,
2 PRESIDENT GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE
3 AMERICAN REVOLUTION FOR HER MERITORIOUS SERVICE TO COMMUNITY AND
4 COUNTRY.

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dale Kelly Love was elected to serve as
6 President General of the National Society Daughters of the
7 American Revolution for 1998-2001; and

8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dale Kelly Love is a native Mississippian who
9 is leading the largest patriotic organization of women in the
10 world with over 178,000 members in over 3,000 chapters in every
11 state of the Union and six countries; and

12 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dale Kelly Love is a talented and devoted
13 member of the DAR who has served the national society on every
14 level; and

15 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dale Kelly Love joined the National Society
16 Daughters of the American Revolution in 1955 and has over 43 years
17 of continuous membership in four chapters; and

18 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dale Kelly Love has served the Mississippi
19 State Society as State Regent, State Historian and as Chairman of
20 the DAR Good Citizens, Membership, National Defense,
21 Transportation and Finance Committees; and

22 WHEREAS, her extensive research efforts revealed the unique
23 historical significance of the Old French Fort Rosalie and Tobacco
24 Warehouse and helped lead to the designation of Rosalie as a
25 Registered National Historic Landmark; and

26 WHEREAS, under her visionary leadership the National Society
27 Daughters of the American Revolution is a leader in renewing the

28 nation's sense of volunteerism and community service; and

29 WHEREAS, as President General, Mrs. Love has heightened
30 public awareness of the DAR'S objectives of historic preservation,
31 promotion of education and patriotic endeavor based on the DAR's
32 motto: "God, Home and Country"; and

33 WHEREAS, she is a graduate of the University of Mississippi
34 and taught instrumental and vocal music in the public schools and
35 on the university level for 30 years; and

36 WHEREAS, in Mississippi, she served as Director of the
37 Southern Fine Arts Festival, as a member of the Governors' Council
38 on Education and the State Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution
39 Commission; and

40 WHEREAS, Mrs. Love's late husband, Dale Kelly Love, was
41 Director of the Marching Band at the University of Southern
42 Mississippi; and

43 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Legislature to commend the
44 meritorious accomplishments of the citizens of this state:

45 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
46 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
47 we do hereby commend Mrs. Dale Kelly Love for her meritorious
48 service to her community and country and wish her success as
49 leader of the world's largest patriotic organization for women.

50 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be
51 presented to Mrs. Dale Kelly Love.