

By: Senator(s) Rayborn, Stogner

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 66

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT VINCE FOR HIS
2 DISTINGUISHED AND INFLUENTIAL SERVICE TO THE MISSISSIPPI HOUSE OF
3 REPRESENTATIVES.

4 WHEREAS, Representative Robert Vince of Sandy Hook,
5 Mississippi, has chosen not to seek reelection to the Mississippi
6 House of Representatives; and

7 WHEREAS, his decision brings to a conclusion 20 years of
8 dedicated service to the people of the Ninety-ninth House District
9 and to the citizens of Mississippi; and

10 WHEREAS, Representative Vince continuously served in the
11 House of Representatives from 1980, providing the citizens of
12 Marion and Walthall Counties with decisive leadership and
13 commitment to the principles of excellence; and

14 WHEREAS, Representative Vince's proven ability was recognized
15 when he was appointed Chairman of the Ethics Committee
16 (1996-2000); and member of the Appropriations, Education, Military
17 Affairs, Transportation, Congressional Redistricting and
18 Legislative Reapportionment Committees (1996-2000); and

19 WHEREAS, he has been closely involved in many significant
20 bills which were considered during his term; and

21 WHEREAS, Representative Robert Vince was born on December 9,
22 1930; and

23 WHEREAS, he is married to the former Mary Breland, and they
24 have two children, Kim and Melody, and four grandchildren, Brandi,
25 Lisa, Kristin and Bo; and

26 WHEREAS, he is well known for his integrity, common sense and

27 good nature, all of which will be missed by his colleagues; and

28 WHEREAS, Representative Robert Vince has distinguished
29 himself as a highly respected legislator and has served in a
30 manner which will be an exceptional model for his successors to
31 emulate; and

32 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Legislature to commend the
33 exemplary service of the citizens of this state:

34 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MISSISSIPPI SENATE,
35 That we do hereby commend the distinguished service of
36 Representative Robert Vince in the Mississippi House of
37 Representatives, and we wish him success and prosperity in his
38 future endeavors.

39 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be
40 presented to Representative Vince and be made available to the
41 Capitol Press Corps.