

By: Lott

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101
(As Adopted by House)

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING PETAL
2 HIGH SCHOOL PANTHERS BASEBALL TEAM FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING 1999
3 SEASON AND FOR WINNING THE OVERALL CLASS 4A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

4 WHEREAS, the Petal High School Panthers Baseball Team
5 finished the 1999 season with an outstanding record of 33 wins and
6 only 5 losses, winning the Overall Class 4A State Championship;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, the Panthers have won four state championships in
9 the 1990's including 1990, 1991, 1995 and 1999; and

10 WHEREAS, many individual honors have been bestowed upon
11 various team members in recognition of their fine, dedicated play
12 this season, including: Ryan Lott, Travis Nowell, Josh O'Flynn,
13 Brett Watkins and Brad Wheat; and

14 WHEREAS, the Panthers have been superbly coached and inspired
15 by Head Coach Larry Watkins and Assistant Coaches Barry Boler,
16 Kevin Britt, Craig Fletcher and Rusty Phillips, who have broadened
17 the Panthers knowledge of the game and refined their skills in
18 execution; and

19 WHEREAS, the Panthers have developed a winning and
20 cooperative spirit and a high degree of sportsmanship, and their
21 activities and attitude reflect great credit upon the individual
22 players and their coaches and bring honor to Petal High School;
23 and

24 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
25 and commend excellence, especially when evidenced by the youth of
26 our state, who are its future:

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
28 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
29 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend and congratulate the Petal High
30 School Baseball Team and their coaches, Head Coach Larry Watkins
31 and Assistant Coaches Barry Boler, Kevin Britt, Craig Fletcher and
32 Rusty Phillips, for their outstanding 1999 season, for winning the
33 Overall Class 4A State Championship and for displaying tireless
34 efforts to their athletic endeavors.

35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
36 furnished to Petal High School, Head Coach Larry Watkins and
37 Assistant Coaches Barry Boler, Kevin Britt, Craig Fletcher and
38 Rusty Phillips and to members of the Capitol Press Corps.