

By: The Entire Membership

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 117  
(As Adopted by House)

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE LIFE AND  
2 ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF REPRESENTATIVE DICK LIVINGSTON AND EXPRESSING  
3 DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS UPON HIS PASSING.

4 WHEREAS, Representative Dick Livingston, born March 22, 1940,  
5 departed this life on March 28, 2000, causing a great loss to his  
6 family and friends; and

7 WHEREAS, Representative Livingston dedicated 28 years of  
8 service to the people of District 75 in the House of  
9 Representatives, which includes parts of Scott, Rankin and Smith  
10 Counties; and

11 WHEREAS, a lifelong resident of the Pulaski community near  
12 Morton, Mississippi, Representative Livingston graduated from  
13 Morton High School and furthered his education at East Central  
14 Community College and Millsaps College, where he received a  
15 bachelor's degree; and

16 WHEREAS, Representative Livingston, during his long tenure,  
17 served the people of Mississippi with distinction having served as  
18 Chairman of the Game and Fish Committee for the past 12 years and  
19 as a member of the Appropriations, Education, Public Buildings,  
20 Grounds and Lands and Library Committees; and

21 WHEREAS, known as an avid sportsman and a champion for  
22 preservation of the environment and natural resources,  
23 Representative Livingston received the Mississippi Department of  
24 Wildlife Federation Conservation Legislator of the Year Award in  
25 1999; and

26 WHEREAS, Representative Livingston was an active member of

27 his community and involved in organizations such as the Morton  
28 Lions Club, the Morton Chamber of Commerce and served as the  
29 President of the Alumni Association of East Central Community  
30 College; and

31 WHEREAS, in addition, Representative Livingston was a member  
32 of Independence United Methodist Church, where he taught Sunday  
33 School, was chairman of the pastor-parish relations board and the  
34 church administration board and was a lay leader; and

35 WHEREAS, Representative Livingston is survived by his wife,  
36 the former Martha Waggoner; their children, David, Lee Anne,  
37 Marsha, Rori and Jennifer; two grandchildren, Alice and Eva; and

38 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize  
39 and commend outstanding public servants such as Representative  
40 Dick Livingston, who distinguished himself as a highly respected  
41 legislator:

42 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
43 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING  
44 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend the life and accomplishments of  
45 our friend and colleague, Representative Dick Livingston, and  
46 express our deep appreciation for the immense personal sacrifice  
47 in the many years Representative Livingston spent in attending to  
48 the needs of his constituents and the citizens of Mississippi.

49 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
50 furnished to the family of Representative Livingston and to the  
51 members of the Capitol Press Corps.