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To: Rules

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 14

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MRS. EVELYN JONES ROSS UPON THE  
2 CELEBRATION OF HER 90TH BIRTHDAY.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Evelyn Jones Ross, a lifelong resident of  
4 Carroll County, Mississippi, will celebrate her 90th birthday on  
5 April 4, 2000; and

6 WHEREAS, Mrs. Ross began her long and distinguished teaching  
7 career in a one-teacher school and finished her 42-year teaching  
8 career in a multidisciplined educational system; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Ross first joined the Presbyterian Church at  
10 Blackmonton and then at Vaiden Shongalo Presbyterian Church, where  
11 she remains very active; and

12 WHEREAS, Mrs. Ross has been lovingly supported in all her  
13 endeavors by her husband, J.K. Ross; their daughter, Ann Ross  
14 Wardlaw; two grandchildren, Douglas and Amanda; and two  
15 great-grandchildren, Justin and Kayla; and

16 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to  
17 recognize and pay special tribute to outstanding Mississippians  
18 such as Mrs. Ross, who has dedicated her career to educating the  
19 young people of this state:

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
21 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby  
22 commend and congratulate Mrs. Evelyn Jones Ross upon the  
23 celebration of her 90th birthday on April 4, 2000, and extend our  
24 heartiest wishes for years of happiness, good health, peace and  
25 joy.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be

27 furnished to Mrs. Evelyn Jones Ross and to the members of the  
28 Capitol Press Corps.