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To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 550

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT  
2 OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES TO ESTABLISH AN INTERIM  
3 ELECTRONIC MEDIA GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE TO MAKE A STUDY AND  
4 REPORT TO THE 2001 REGULAR SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

5 WHEREAS, the Mississippi Legislature desires to promote  
6 economic development and efficient delivery of government services  
7 by encouraging governmental and private sector entities to conduct  
8 their business and transactions using electronic media; and

9 WHEREAS, electronic commerce will revolutionize government by  
10 cutting across organizational boundaries and introducing  
11 self-service models for citizens; and

12 WHEREAS, there should be established an E-Government  
13 Committee to initiate study, planning and implementation of  
14 electronic government services within the State of Mississippi:

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF  
16 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That  
17 we do hereby request the Executive Director of the Mississippi  
18 Department of Technology Services to establish an E-Government  
19 Committee composed of representatives from Mississippi  
20 governmental entities, including, but not limited to, the  
21 following public officials or their designees: the Governor, the  
22 Lieutenant Governor, the Secretary of State, the State Auditor,  
23 and the State Treasurer. The purpose of the E-Government  
24 Committee shall be to study the feasibility of developing  
25 electronic government services within the State of Mississippi.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Office of the State Auditor,  
27 Performance Audit Division, will develop and provide a written

28 progress report to the Legislature of the findings and  
29 recommendations of the E-Government Committee on or before January  
30 4, 2001.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
32 certified by the Secretary of State to the state agencies named in  
33 this resolution.