

By: Browning, Hamilton, Burton

To: Rules

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 41

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING MS. BOBBIE  
2 HARRELSON OF PONTOTOC, MISSISSIPPI, UPON HER INSTALLMENT AS WORTHY  
3 GRAND MATRON OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OF EASTERN STAR IN MISSISSIPPI.

4 WHEREAS, on April 21, 1999, Ms. Bobbie Harrelson of Pontotoc,  
5 Mississippi, was installed as Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand  
6 Chapter of Eastern Star in Mississippi; and

7 WHEREAS, this position is the highest honor for the Eastern  
8 Star organization in the state; and

9 WHEREAS, the Eastern Star is a time-honored benevolent  
10 organization whose charitable and civic activities in Mississippi  
11 and across the nation are a matter of record; and

12 WHEREAS, Bobbie Harrelson has a long record of leadership in  
13 this organization: In 1996, she was elected Associate Grand  
14 Conductress of the Grand Chapter of Eastern Star; and in 1997, she  
15 was elected Grand Conductress of the chapter; then in 1998, she  
16 was elected Associate Worthy Grand Matron prior to her election in  
17 1999 as Worthy Grand Matron; and

18 WHEREAS, in her role as Worthy Grand Matron, Bobbie has  
19 traveled to many states and Canada representing her home chapter,  
20 her state chapter, her county and her state; and

21 WHEREAS, the statewide Mississippi Session of the Eastern  
22 Star was held in Tupelo, Mississippi, from April 15-18, 2000, and  
23 she was recognized for her achievements during this session; and

24 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize the  
25 accomplishments of this dedicated citizen who has brought honor to  
26 the Order of the Eastern Star, Pontotoc County and to the State of

27 Mississippi:

28           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF  
29 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend and congratulate Ms. Bobbie  
30 Harrelson of Pontotoc, Mississippi, upon her installation as  
31 Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Eastern Star in  
32 Mississippi, and wish her continued success in her new  
33 responsibilities and future endeavors.

34           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be  
35 presented to Bobbie Harrelson and her family, and be made  
36 available to the Capitol Press Corps.