

By: Jackson

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 57
(As Adopted by Senate)

1 A RESOLUTION TO COMMEND MICHAEL P. JOHNSON FOR HIS
2 OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONGRATULATE HIM UPON ALL HIS
3 ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

4 WHEREAS, Michael P. Johnson is Senior Vice President of Human
5 Resources for the Williams group of companies; and

6 WHEREAS, reporting to the chairman and CEO, he is responsible
7 for leading all aspects of human resources for this
8 23,000-employee organization; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson serves as a Senior Officer of the parent
10 company and a Director for Williams Communications, Williams
11 Energy Services, Williams Gas Pipelines and Williams
12 International; and

13 WHEREAS, prior to coming to Williams, Mr. Johnson held
14 officer level positions for Amoco Corporation, including Vice
15 President of Human Relations for Amoco Production Company, Vice
16 President for Corporate People Strategies and Vice President,
17 Human Resources Services; and

18 WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson's professional and community involvement
19 include Director, Executive Leadership Council Foundation (ELF);
20 Chairman, Technology Transfer Program (ELF); Board Member and
21 Director, John Starks Educational Foundation; Director, Simon
22 Estes Educational Foundation; Board Member, City of Tulsa
23 Workforce Investment Board; North Carolina Central University
24 Business Advisory Council; and Council of Senior Human Resource
25 Executives for The Conference Board; and

26 WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson's past community involvement has been

27 significant, including Chairman, Metropolitan Orlando Urban
28 League; Chairman, Orange County School System Career Advisory
29 Committee; Director, Chicago City College Foundation; Director,
30 EHS Good Shepherd Hospital; Director, INROADS/Chicago; WMFE Public
31 Broadcasting Corporation; and Orlando Aviation Authority
32 (gubernatorial appointment); and

33 WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson also served as a Director of the Amoco
34 Corporation Foundation; and

35 WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson holds a BS from North Carolina Central
36 University and attended graduate school at the Florida Institute
37 of Technology; and

38 WHEREAS, he is married to Elizabeth Moore Johnson and has two
39 sons, Michael, Jr., and Paul; and

40 WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson is scheduled to be honored for his
41 outstanding achievements on July 1, 2000:

42 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MISSISSIPPI STATE
43 SENATE, That we do hereby commend Michael P. Johnson for his
44 outstanding achievements and congratulate him upon all his
45 accomplishments.

46 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be
47 presented to Mr. Johnson.