

By: Representative Stevens

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 78

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING DR. STARKEY A. MORGAN,
2 SR., UPON BEING NAMED THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI SCHOOL OF
3 EDUCATION ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR.

4 WHEREAS, Dr. Starkey A. Morgan, Sr., has been named the
5 University of Mississippi School of Education Alumnus of the Year,
6 which is bestowed annually by the Education Alumni Chapter Board
7 of Directors; and

8 WHEREAS, Dr. Morgan, a resident of Holmes County, earned his
9 doctor of education degree from Ole Miss in 1987; and

10 WHEREAS, before Dr. Morgan became president of Holmes
11 Community College in July 1, 1989, he served as Administration and
12 Business Director and as Assistant Director of Vocational
13 Technical Education at Itawamba Community College; and

14 WHEREAS, Dr. Morgan is an active member of many professional
15 and civic organizations including past president of the Holmes
16 County Economic Development Authority, a commissioner on the
17 Mid-Delta Empowerment Zone Alliance and as chairman of the
18 Mississippi Association of Community and Junior Colleges; and

19 WHEREAS, Dr. Morgan has received numerous awards and honors
20 during his long and distinguished career such as the 1997
21 Volunteer of the year by the Mississippi Economic Development
22 Council, the 2000 Shirley B. Gordon Award of Distinction at the
23 Phi Theta Kappa National Convention and was among the 2000-2001
24 winners of the Circle of Excellence given in November by
25 Mississippi State University's College of Education; and

26 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
27 and commend excellence, especially when evidenced by outstanding
28 Mississippians such as Dr. Morgan:

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
30 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
31 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend Dr. Starkey A. Morgan, Sr.,
32 upon being named the University of Mississippi School of Education
33 Alumnus of the Year and express our heartiest wishes for continued
34 success in all his future endeavors.

35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
36 furnished to Dr. Starkey A. Morgan, Sr., and to the members of the
37 Capitol Press Corps.