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To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 98

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SUPPORT OF THE  
 2 LEGISLATURE FOR THE LOCATION OF THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS  
 3 MONUMENT ON THE PROPOSED PEDESTRIAN MALL IN THE CAPITOL COMPLEX.

4 WHEREAS, it is only fitting that the law enforcement officers  
 5 who have given their lives in the performance of their duties be  
 6 remembered with the utmost respect; and

7 WHEREAS, the State Board of Law Enforcement Officer Standards  
 8 and Training, the Mississippi Department of Archives and History  
 9 and the Office of Capitol Facilities have put forth a concerted  
 10 effort to make an appropriate and meaningful Law Enforcement  
 11 Officers Monument a reality; and

12 WHEREAS, the monument design will be the result of the work  
 13 of architects from the Mississippi State University School of  
 14 Architecture, and it is a compliment to use Mississippi's youth as  
 15 a means to honor our past; and

16 WHEREAS, the location of the Law Enforcement Officers  
 17 Monument will be in accordance with construction plans for the new  
 18 Capitol Complex, which includes a proposed pedestrian mall between  
 19 the Walter Sillers State Office Building and a newly constructed  
 20 Gartin Justice Facility; and

21 WHEREAS, Mississippi's law enforcement officers are worthy of  
 22 the highest praise:

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
 24 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING  
 25 THEREIN, That we do hereby express the enthusiastic support of the  
 26 Legislature for the location of the Law Enforcement Officers  
 27 Monument on the proposed pedestrian mall to be located between the

28 Walter Sillers State Office Building and the newly constructed  
29 Gartin Justice Facility, and we express our appreciation to the  
30 State Board of Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Training, the  
31 Mississippi Department of Archives and History and the Office of  
32 Capitol Facilities for their hard work and dedication to this  
33 important project.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
35 forwarded to the State Board of Law Enforcement Officer Standards  
36 and Training, the Board of Trustees of the Mississippi Department  
37 of Archives and History and the Executive Director of the  
38 Department of Finance and Administration, and be made available to  
39 the Capitol Press Corps.