

By: Representatives Cummings, McCoy

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MS. LANA HOPKINS MOSS UPON BEING
2 NAMED THE 2000-2001 CORINTH SCHOOL DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR.

3 WHEREAS, Ms. Lana Hopkins Moss was named the 2000-2001
4 Corinth School District Teacher of the Year; and

5 WHEREAS, after graduating from Walnut High School, Ms. Moss
6 attended Northeast Mississippi Community College and then the
7 University of Mississippi, where she earned a bachelor's degree
8 and master's degree in education; and

9 WHEREAS, Ms. Moss began her teaching career at Walnut
10 Elementary School from 1972 to 1976, teaching second and third
11 grade students and helped to establish and maintain an elementary
12 library; and

13 WHEREAS, in 1976, Ms. Moss taught the second grade at the
14 Alcorn Central Elementary School before going to teach at East
15 Corinth Elementary School; and

16 WHEREAS, Ms. Moss has been a teacher at East Corinth
17 Elementary School since 1980, teaching third grade, fourth grade
18 and seventh grade during her tenure; and

19 WHEREAS, Ms. Moss is an active member of several professional
20 and community organizations including Delta Kappa Gamma,
21 Lighthouse Foundation's At-Risk Elementary Students' Program and
22 Tate Baptist Church; and

23 WHEREAS, in addition to being named the 2000-2001 Corinth
24 School District Teacher of the Year, Ms. Moss has received
25 numerous awards such as Teacher of the Year for East Corinth
26 Elementary in 1995, Phi Delta Kappa Award for Excellence in

27 Education in 1995, Who's Who Among American Teachers in 2000, the
28 Teacher of the Year Award for East Corinth Elementary in 2000 and
29 the American Legion Auxiliary Teacher Appreciation Award for 2001;
30 and

31 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
32 commend and recognize outstanding educators such as Ms. Moss, who
33 has dedicated her career to teaching the young people of this
34 state, who are its future:

35 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
36 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
37 commend and congratulate Ms. Lana Hopkins Moss upon being named
38 the 2000-2001 Corinth School District Teacher of the Year and
39 express our heartiest wishes for success in all her future
40 endeavors.

41 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
42 furnished to Ms. Lana Hopkins Moss and to the members of the
43 Capitol Press Corps.