

By: Representatives Chism, Harrison, Smith
(39th)

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE TEACHERS OF THE
2 COLUMBUS SCHOOL DISTRICT UPON RECEIVING NATIONAL BOARD
3 CERTIFICATION.

4 WHEREAS, several teachers in the Columbus School District
5 recently obtained the honor of receiving National Board
6 Certification by the United States Department of Education; and

7 WHEREAS, the following educators, representing several area
8 schools, received the Master Teacher Certificate: Candace
9 Aldridge and Melinda Lowe of Fairview Elementary School; Dawn
10 Dawkins, Patricia Harris, Terry Richardson and Olivia Sansing of
11 Cook Elementary School; Shelia Heatherly, Judy Jenkins and Cindy
12 McLaughlin of Hunt Intermediate School; Janet Littlejohn of
13 Demonstration School; Lori Lowery of Stokes Beard Elementary
14 School; Debbie McLaurin of Sale Elementary School; and Patty
15 Thrash, Gayle Fortenberry and Nan Wyckoff of McKellar Technology
16 Center; and

17 WHEREAS, the following counselors received National
18 Certification: Linda Brown of Lee Middle School; Lisa Elmore of
19 Cook Elementary School; Cindy Harris of Union Academy; Laurie Hood
20 of McKellar Technology Center; Jennifer Kilpatrick of Columbus
21 High School; and Ann Wallace of Fairview Elementary School; and

22 WHEREAS, the following received National Certification of
23 Clinical Competence for Speech-Language Pathologists or
24 Audiologists: Elizabeth Clark of Sale Elementary School; Tonya
25 Davis of Fairview Elementary School; Susan Johnson of Cook
26 Elementary School; Stephanie Kelley of Union Academy; and Nancy
27 Mitchell of Hughes Alternative School; and



28 WHEREAS, these educators of the Columbus School District are
29 responsible for preparing and grooming generations of future
30 doctors, lawyers, nurses, politicians, teachers, leaders and role
31 models to face the challenges and victories that the future holds
32 in store for this great nation of ours; and

33 WHEREAS, with tireless dedication and loving patience, these
34 educators of the Columbus School District are making Mississippi a
35 greater state by educating our children to become productive,
36 God-fearing, responsible citizens who will write the next chapter
37 in the book of Mississippi history; and

38 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to commend
39 excellence especially when evidenced by people who have dedicated
40 their lives to developing and cultivating the minds and bodies of
41 the many young Mississippians with whom they come in contact
42 during their careers:

43 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
44 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
45 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend and congratulate all those
46 educators of the Columbus School District who, through their
47 diligence and commitment to education, have received National
48 Board Certification.

49 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
50 furnished to the Board of Trustees of the Columbus School District
51 and the members of the Capitol Press Corps.

