

By: Senator(s) Jordan

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING JOHN EDWARD JACKSON UPON HIS  
2 RETIREMENT FROM UNITED PARCEL SERVICE.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. John Edward Jackson is retiring from United  
4 Parcel Service, having worked there for over 30 years; and

5 WHEREAS, after graduating from Marshall High School in 1965,  
6 Mr. Jackson attended Mississippi Valley State University; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Jackson was the first African-American to be  
8 hired at United Parcel Service in Greenwood, Mississippi; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Jackson is an active member of Providence  
10 Missionary Baptist Church, where he serves as President of the  
11 Usher Board, a lead vocalist in the Male Choir and a member of the  
12 Board of Trustees; and

13 WHEREAS, throughout his employment with UPS, Mr. Jackson has  
14 received numerous awards for his outstanding performance,  
15 including the Mid-South District Circle of Honor, awarded to those  
16 employees who have more than 25 years of safe driving; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. Jackson has been lovingly supported in all his  
18 endeavors by his wife, Tallie; three stepsons, one deceased; and  
19 11 grandchildren; and

20 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Senate to recognize and  
21 commend outstanding Mississippians such as Mr. Jackson:

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF  
23 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend and congratulate Mr. John  
24 Edward Jackson upon his retirement and extend our heartiest wishes  
25 for success in all his future endeavors.



26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
27 furnished to Mr. John Edward Jackson and be made available to the  
28 Capitol Press Corps.

