

By: Senator(s) Gollott

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 575

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING MS.
2 BETTY SUE O'BRIAN FOR BEING SELECTED AS INSTRUCTOR OF THE YEAR AT
3 THE JEFFERSON DAVIS CAMPUS OF THE MISSISSIPPI GULF COAST COMMUNITY
4 COLLEGE.

5 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian, a resident of Ocean Springs,
6 Mississippi, has been selected as Instructor of the Year at the
7 Jefferson Davis Campus of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community
8 College in recognition of her distinguished service to the
9 college; and

10 WHEREAS, the award was established by the Alumni Association
11 of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College to honor
12 instructors at the college, and the recipient of the award is
13 chosen from nominations submitted by students, faculty and
14 administrators on the basis of their teaching excellence, college
15 service, community service and professional development; and

16 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian, an English instructor, has
17 been employed at the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College for
18 the past 13 years and has taught for the past 22 years; and

19 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian received her Bachelor of
20 Science Degree in English and Master of Science Degree in English
21 from the University of Southern Mississippi; and

22 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian is a member of the College
23 Staff Development Committee, Vice President's Advisory Board,
24 President's Advisory Board, Wellness Committee, and a
25 Vocational/Industrial Clubs of America Judge; and

26 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian has served on the organizing
27 committees of the Ocean Springs Herb Festival and the St. John's
28 Renaissance Festival, President of the East Mississippi Gulf Coast



29 Wholistic Wellness Network, and Secretary of Ultreya, St. John's
30 Episcopal Church; and

31 WHEREAS, Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian is a member of the Community
32 College Humanities Association, TYCA-Two-Year College English
33 Association, and Mississippi Humanities Council Speaker's Bureau;
34 and

35 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
36 and commend such outstanding teachers as Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian,
37 who has dedicated her career to teaching the young people of this
38 state:

39 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
40 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
41 we do hereby commend and congratulate Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian for
42 being selected as Instructor of the Year at the Jefferson Davis
43 Campus of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College and extend
44 to her our heartiest wishes for success in all her future
45 endeavors.

46 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution are
47 furnished to Ms. Betty Sue O'Brian and members of the Capitol
48 Press Corps.

