By: Senator(s) Jordan, Harden, Jackson, Walls, Frazier, Blackmon, Huggins, Simmons

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14

1	A RESOLUTION	COMMENDING	AND CONGRATULA	ATING MID-DELTA HOME
2	HEALTH, INC., AND	ITS CEO, MR	S. CLARA REED,	UPON THE OCCASION OF
3	THEIR 25TH ANNIVE	RSARY CELEBR	ATION.	

- WHEREAS, March 2003 will mark the 25th Anniversary of
- 5 Mid-Delta Home Health, Inc., in providing quality health care
- 6 services to the Delta Community; and
- 7 WHEREAS, as part of this milestone celebration, the employees
- 8 will be putting the spotlight on their CEO, Mrs. Clara T. Reed,
- 9 and other special employees who have shared their talents in
- 10 making this home health service a success; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mrs. Reed has been responsible for providing home
- 12 health services in 22 counties in the State of Mississippi, and in
- 13 the past 25 years she has served more than 25,000 patients; and
- 14 WHEREAS, numerous health care studies show patients heal
- 15 better and faster in their homes. The benefits of home care are:
- 16 (a) early patient discharge from the hospital; (b) patients remain
- 17 more independent and enjoy greater comfort and convenience; (c)
- 18 patients and families are more involved in the treatment and
- 19 healing process; and (d) patients favor the safety and familiarity
- 20 of their own homes; and
- 21 WHEREAS, working with each patient's personal physician,
- 22 Mid-Delta Home Health professionals provide a full menu of health
- 23 care services in the home setting to form a strong personal and
- 24 professional relationship. Mid-Delta's experienced and qualified
- 25 staff includes Nurse Practitioners, RNs, LPNs, CNAs, Licensed
- 26 Social Workers, Licensed Dietitians, Physical Therapists and Home
- 27 Health Aids; and

- WHEREAS, through the leadership of Mrs. Reed, Mid-Delta's
- 29 holistic approach addresses the well-being of each client
- 30 regarding their physical, mental, social and spiritual needs,
- 31 working with the local community to seek out sources of financial
- 32 aid and assistance for clients, thereby providing valuable
- 33 community service; and
- 34 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize the
- 35 contributions to the Delta Community and quality of services
- 36 provided by Mrs. Reed and Mid-Delta Home Health, Inc., to the
- 37 citizens of the Mississippi Delta:
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
- 39 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend and congratulate Mid-Delta
- 40 Home Health, Inc., and its CEO, Mrs. Clara T. Reed, for the
- 41 milestone the company has reached in providing quality health care
- 42 services to the Delta Community on the occasion of its 25th
- 43 Anniversary, and extend the greetings of the State Senate and best
- 44 wishes for its future endeavors.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
- 46 Mrs. Reed at the Mid-Delta Home Health Silver Anniversary Banquet
- 47 at McNair Middle School, Belzoni, Mississippi, on February 8,
- 48 2003, and be made available to the Capitol Press Corps.