

By: Senator(s) Gollott, Hewes, Dawkins

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MRS. SINCELL PLATTS FOR HER WORK WITH
2 THE HANDICAPPED.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sincell Platts has devoted twenty years to
4 exercising the mind and bodies of handicapped individuals through
5 dance; and

6 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sincell Platts began with 12 residents of the
7 Mississippi Cheshire Homes of Harrison County, Inc.; and

8 WHEREAS, this first group of square dancers was known as the
9 Cheshire Promenaders; and

10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sincell Platts' first dance group was so
11 successful that the group now consists of 50 members residing
12 along the Gulf Coast; and

13 WHEREAS, the name of the Cheshire Promenaders was changed to
14 the Gulf Coast Western Variety Dancers to reflect the growth of
15 the number of members and the different styles of dances performed
16 by the group; and

17 WHEREAS, this local group of remarkable dancers are also
18 members of the U.S. Handicapable Square Dance Association, and
19 attend national conventions; and

20 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sincell Platts was ably assisted by her
21 assistant and husband of 56 years, Mr. Fred Platts; and

22 WHEREAS, Mrs. Sincell Platts has helped raise public
23 awareness of the abilities of handicapped individuals; and

24 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Senate of the State of
25 Mississippi to recognize the noteworthy contributions of the
26 citizens of the State of Mississippi:



27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
28 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend Mrs. Sincell Platts for her
29 work with the handicapped and for raising the public's awareness
30 of the abilities of these individuals.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be
32 presented to Mrs. Sincell Platts.

