

By: Representative Guice

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 50

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING PAUL A. LACOUR, III, ON THE HONOR OF
2 RECEIVING THE EAGLE SCOUT AWARD.

3 WHEREAS, Paul A. LaCour, III, of Latimer, Mississippi, will
4 have the honor of receiving the Eagle Scout Award on March 29,
5 2005, at Holy Spirit Catholic Church Parish Hall in Vancleave,
6 Mississippi, on his 16th birthday; and

7 WHEREAS, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anderson LaCour, Jr.,
8 Paul is a member of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) Troop 271 of
9 Ocean Springs, Mississippi; and

10 WHEREAS, through his years of being a Boy Scout, Paul has
11 earned the required merit badges to fulfill his duties and
12 obligations of maintaining and promoting the mission and vision of
13 the Boy Scouts of America; and

14 WHEREAS, adhering to the Scout Oath and abiding by the Scout
15 Law, Paul was able to earn this coveted award by advancing his
16 knowledge, leadership skills, organizational skills, and community
17 service, while gaining support from the community, his peers and
18 his family; and

19 WHEREAS, Paul's Eagle Scout project consisted of proposing,
20 designing, laboring and supervising the construction of a Rosary
21 Garden at Christ the King Catholic Mission in the Latimer
22 Community to be used by church members for prayer, gatherings and
23 teaching religion classes; and

24 WHEREAS, as a Boy Scout, he has contributed over 100 hours of
25 community service, earned 34 merit badges, gone on 90 overnight
26 campings, hiked over 80 miles and has completed more than 325

27 requirements in leadership, first aid, outdoor skills, physical
28 fitness, citizenship and environmental training; and

29 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
30 recognize and commend excellence, especially when evidenced by the
31 young people of our state, who are its future:

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
33 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
34 commend and congratulate Paul A. LaCour, III, on the honor of
35 receiving the Eagle Scout Award and express our heartiest wishes
36 for success in all his future endeavors.

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
38 furnished to Paul A. LaCour, III, and to the members of the
39 Capitol Press Corps.