

By: Senator(s) Michel

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING QUENTIN WHITWELL,
2 RECIPIENT OF THE MISSISSIPPI BUSINESS JOURNAL 2005 "TOP 40 UNDER
3 40" AWARD.

4 WHEREAS, Quentin Whitwell, a Partner with Stroud Harper &
5 Whitwell, P.C., of Jackson, Mississippi, is a recipient of the
6 Mississippi Business Journal's 2005 "Top 40 Under 40" Award; and

7 WHEREAS, a third generation attorney, Quentin was a starting
8 quarterback for Oxford High School, setting a record for the
9 highest passing percentage in his Senior year, when the 10-3 team
10 won its first-ever district championship; and

11 WHEREAS, after earning an undergraduate degree from the
12 University of Mississippi in 1995, Whitwell graduated from Ole
13 Miss Law School in 1998. While on campus, the Hall of Fame
14 inductee was President of the Associated Student Body, a member of
15 Omicron Delta Kappa and the Mortar Board, honorary President of
16 Lambda Sigma, Scholarship Chairman for Sigma Nu Fraternity, and
17 interned for Chancery Court Judge Anthony T. Farese; and

18 WHEREAS, before venturing on his own, Whitwell served as Vice
19 President of Public Policy for the Mississippi Association of
20 Realtors (MAR), the state's largest trade association; and

21 WHEREAS, Quentin is frequently called upon by state leaders
22 for counsel and assistance, and he is thought of highly in
23 business and political communities; and

24 WHEREAS, through the recent efforts of Quentin and the
25 Realtors' Association, the business climate for Realtors has been
26 enhanced, which ultimately benefits the state and local
27 communities; and

28 WHEREAS, growing up, Whitwell wanted to be a preacher;
29 instead, he teaches Sunday School at the First Presbyterian Church
30 in Jackson, Mississippi, where he serves on the Stewardship
31 Committee. Quentin and his wife, Ginger, have two young children,
32 and it is with pride that we recognize this respected young
33 attorney, who has brought honor to his firm, his community and to
34 the State of Mississippi:

35 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
36 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend and congratulate Quentin
37 Whitwell, recipient of the Mississippi Business Journal 2005 "Top
38 40 Under 40" Award, and extend to him and his family the best
39 wishes of the Senate for success in his future endeavors.

40 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
41 Quentin Whitwell and be made available to the Capitol Press Corps.