

By: Senator(s) Michel, Horhn, Harden,  
Dearing, Frazier, Jackson (11th), Kirby

To: Rules

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 37

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING CHARLES A. ALLMAN,  
2 HALL OF FAME FOOTBALL COACH FROM JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI, UPON HIS  
3 POSTHUMOUS INDUCTION INTO THE MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF COACHES  
4 HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2005.

5 WHEREAS, the Mississippi Association of Coaches has selected  
6 Coach Charles A. Allman as a member of the 2005 Hall of Fame; and

7 WHEREAS, he graduated from Noxapater High School and  
8 Mississippi College; and

9 WHEREAS, Coach Allman guided football teams of Tyler, Texas,  
10 (1970-1971), Jackson Callaway High School (1972-1986) and Jackson  
11 Forest Hill High School (1987-1996). His record in the Jackson  
12 Public Schools is 161-107-2; and

13 WHEREAS, Coach Allman has been a member of the Mississippi  
14 Association of Coaches (MAC) for 25 years; and

15 WHEREAS, Coach Allman coached Callaway High School to a  
16 perfect 12-0 football season in 1975, winning the Big Eight  
17 Conference State title. He was chosen Coach of the Year for Metro  
18 Jackson three times, and Coach of the Year in 5-A Football for  
19 Callaway in 1977 by the MAC. His teams at Callaway had a 33-game  
20 winning streak in the '70s. Callaway High won the Mississippi  
21 Bowl in 1981. He guided Forest Hill High School to the playoffs  
22 and retired in 1996; and

23 WHEREAS, the late Coach Allman died on September 25, 1998.  
24 He was married to the late Susan Lomax Allman who died on April 7,  
25 1996. They had twin sons, William Lomax Allman and Mathew Roberts  
26 Allman. He had a great sense of humor, never at a loss for words,  
27 and was a hunter and fisherman; and

28           WHEREAS, many of his players went on to college football and  
29 the pros and successes in businesses here in Mississippi. Many of  
30 Coach Allman's Assistant Coaches went on to be Head High School  
31 Coaches across the state, athletic directors and coached on the  
32 college level; and

33           WHEREAS, Coach Allman had a love for family, his coaches,  
34 players and friends, and it is with great pride that we recognize  
35 this legendary Mississippi Coach who has left an honorable legacy  
36 to his community and the State of Mississippi:

37           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF  
38 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend and congratulate Charles A.  
39 Allman, Hall of Fame Football Coach from Jackson, Mississippi,  
40 upon his posthumous induction into the Mississippi Association of  
41 Coaches Hall of Fame Class of 2005 and extend to his family the  
42 best wishes of the Senate on this occasion.

43           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented at  
44 the Mississippi Association of Coaches induction ceremonies on  
45 July 8, 2005, in Jackson, Mississippi, and be made available to  
46 the Capitol Press Corps.