By: The Entire Membership

To: Rules

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 18

A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE LIFE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF 1 OFFICER JAMES C. "JAMIE" WALKER AND EXPRESSING DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO 2 3 HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS UPON HIS PASSING. 4 WHEREAS, Officer James C. "Jamie" Walker, born May 11, 1973, to Sonny and Linda Walker in Waynesboro, Mississippi, departed 5 this earthly life on Wednesday, September 28, 2005, in furtherance 6 of serving and protecting the citizens of Waynesboro, causing 7 8 great sorrow and loss to his family and friends; and WHEREAS, a two-year veteran officer with the Waynesboro 9 Police Department, Officer Walker was known for his valued work 10 ethic and went above and beyond the call of duty; and 11 WHEREAS, his zeal for his duties in law enforcement was 12 13 evidenced through his involvement in the efforts of the Waynesboro Police Department's fight against crime; and 14 15 WHEREAS, having lost his life in the line of duty, Officer Walker, a loving father, son, brother, uncle and friend, will be 16 sorely missed by those who experienced the depth of his love, 17 18 commitment and compassion for life; and WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to 19 20 recognize and commend excellence in such outstanding 21 Mississippians as evidenced by the life and merits of Officer 22 Walker, whose gift to the City of Waynesboro and the State of Mississippi was the ultimate sacrifice of his life: 23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF 24 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby 25 26 commend the life, services and accomplishments of Officer James C.

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27 "Jamie" Walker and express our deepest sympathy to his family and28 friends upon his passing.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be furnished to the family of Officer Walker and to the members of the Capitol Press Corps.