By: Representative Walley

To: Rules

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 49

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE LIFE AND SERVICE OF DAVID "DA
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- 2 DEARMAN AND EXPRESSING DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS
- 3 UPON HIS PASSING.
- WHEREAS, David "Dave" Dearman of State Line departed this
- 5 life on February 13, 2006, at the age of 53; and
- 6 WHEREAS, David Dearman, a native of Lucedale, spent the last
- 7 30 years as an educator in Greene County and was considered a
- 8 cornerstone of the local school district; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Dearman began his career as an educator in
- 10 Greene County in 1976 in his first position as a speech
- 11 pathologist but quickly ascended into an administrator's position
- 12 at the district office; and
- WHEREAS, he served as Principal at Sand Hill School and twice
- 14 at State Line School before leading the efforts at Greene County
- 15 High School for 15 years; and
- 16 WHEREAS, David Dearman is survived by his wife, Ruth Ann
- 17 Dearman, of State Line; his mother, Irene Virginia Dearman, of
- 18 Lucedale; and two sisters, Kathy West and Ilene Washam, both of
- 19 Lucedale; and
- 20 WHEREAS, the education community of Greene County and the
- 21 State of Mississippi will miss his guiding hand in educating the
- 22 children of Greene County; and
- 23 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
- 24 commend the life and service of a dedicated educator such as David
- 25 Dearman:
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
- 27 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby

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- 28 commend the life and legacy of David "Dave" Dearman and express
- 29 deepest sympathy to his family and friends upon his passing.
- 30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
- 31 furnished to the family of David Dearman and to the members of the
- 32 Capitol Press Corps.