

By: Senator(s) Burton

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 607

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING HUGH O'BRIAN AND THE HUGH
2 O'BRIAN YOUTH LEADERSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR DISTINGUISHED AND
3 HUMANITARIAN SERVICE TO THE YOUTH OF MISSISSIPPI.

4 WHEREAS, Hugh O'Brian, through a long and distinguished
5 career as a television, motion picture and theater actor, has
6 captured the hearts of many Americans and Mississippians; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. O'Brian entertained all of America during his
8 seven-year series portraying the title character of the Wyatt Earp
9 television western from 1955 to 1963; and

10 WHEREAS, despite his lasting impression on stage, television
11 and the silver screen, his most lasting and enduring legacy has
12 been the creation, growth and development of Hugh O'Brian Youth
13 Leadership; and

14 WHEREAS, Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership, through statewide,
15 national and international programs, has exposed high school
16 sophomores to leadership, service and inspirational opportunities
17 through annual leadership conferences and ongoing alumni
18 activities and programs, annually reaching approximately 15,000
19 students in the United States and beyond; and

20 WHEREAS, Mississippi Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership is
21 celebrating its 25th year of youth leadership training, having
22 more than 5,000 youth of our state participate in Mississippi's
23 HOBY Program; and

24 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize the
25 contributions of this dedicated youth leadership civic
26 organization:

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
28 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
29 we do hereby commend and congratulate Hugh O'Brian on his
30 distinguished acting career and show our appreciation for his
31 dedication to the youth of our state and nation through the
32 establishment of, and lifetime participation in, Hugh O'Brian
33 Youth Leadership.

34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That Mr. O'Brian and Mississippi Hugh
35 O'Brian Youth Leadership be congratulated on their 25th
36 anniversary of training the youth of our state to be better
37 leaders, citizens and public servants.

38 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
39 Hugh O'Brian and be made available to the Capitol Press Corps.