

By: Senator(s) Frazier, Harden, Horhn

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 627

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CREATE A STUDY COMMITTEE FOR THE  
2 PURPOSE OF STUDYING THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A CIVIL RIGHTS  
3 MUSEUM AND A NATIONAL BLACK SPORTS HALL OF FAME IN THE CITY OF  
4 JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI.

5 WHEREAS, the Legislature finds that there is a need to  
6 closely examine and further study the feasibility of establishing  
7 a civil rights museum and a national black sports hall of fame in  
8 the City of Jackson, Mississippi:

9 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF  
10 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN,

11 That:

12 There is hereby created a study committee for the purpose of  
13 studying the feasibility of establishing a civil rights museum and  
14 a national black sports hall of fame in the City of Jackson,  
15 Mississippi. The study committee shall be composed of the  
16 following:

17 (a) The Executive Director of the State Department of  
18 Archives and History, or his designee;

19 (b) The Chairman of the Senate Public Property  
20 Committee, the Chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee and  
21 three (3) members of the Senate to be appointed by the Lieutenant  
22 Governor;

23 (c) The Chairman of the House Public Property  
24 Committee, the Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee and  
25 three (3) members of the House of Representatives to be appointed  
26 by the Speaker of the House; and

27 Members of the committee who are not legislators shall not  
28 receive any compensation or per diem, but may receive travel

29 reimbursement provided under Section 25-3-41. Legislative members  
30 of the committee shall receive per diem, travel or other expenses,  
31 if authorized by the Management Committees of the Senate and the  
32 House of Representatives, from the contingent expense funds of  
33 their respective houses in the same amounts as provided for  
34 committee meetings when the Legislature is not in session; provide  
35 that no per diem or expense for attending meetings of the  
36 committee shall be paid while the Legislature is in session.

37         The study committee shall be dissolved on January 1, 2007.