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To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 654

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUSPENDING THE DEADLINES FOR THE
2 PURPOSE OF REQUESTING THE DRAFTING, INTRODUCTION, CONSIDERATION
3 AND PASSAGE OF A RESOLUTION ENTITLED "A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
4 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 213A, MISSISSIPPI CONSTITUTION
5 OF 1890, TO CLARIFY THAT THE LEGISLATURE SHALL MAKE ADEQUATE
6 PROVISION BY LAW FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION
7 OF THE 8 PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES IN THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO
8 PROVIDE FOR A STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM COMPRISED OF THE 8 PUBLIC
9 UNIVERSITIES IN THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO ESTABLISH A SYSTEM OF
10 GOVERNANCE FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MISSISSIPPI, TO
11 PROVIDE FOR A BOARD OF GOVERNORS FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE STATE
12 UNIVERSITY SYSTEM COMPRISED OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE PRESENT BOARD
13 OF TRUSTEES OF STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING, TO PRESCRIBE
14 THE GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE
15 STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM, TO PROVIDE FOR LOCAL BOARDS OF TRUSTEES
16 FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF EACH UNIVERSITY IN THE STATE UNIVERSITY
17 SYSTEM AND TO PRESCRIBE THE GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE LOCAL
18 BOARDS OF TRUSTEES; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES."

19 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE
20 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That the Joint Rules
21 of the Senate and the House are hereby suspended for the purpose
22 of requesting the drafting, introduction, consideration and
23 passage, regardless of any deadlines imposed by said rules, of a
24 resolution entitled "A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN
25 AMENDMENT TO SECTION 213A, MISSISSIPPI CONSTITUTION OF 1890, TO
26 CLARIFY THAT THE LEGISLATURE SHALL MAKE ADEQUATE PROVISION BY LAW



27 FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE 8 PUBLIC
28 UNIVERSITIES IN THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO PROVIDE FOR A STATE
29 UNIVERSITY SYSTEM COMPRISED OF THE 8 PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES IN THE
30 STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO ESTABLISH A SYSTEM OF GOVERNANCE FOR THE
31 STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MISSISSIPPI, TO PROVIDE FOR A BOARD OF
32 GOVERNORS FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
33 COMPRISED OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE PRESENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
34 STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING, TO PRESCRIBE THE GENERAL
35 RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY
36 SYSTEM, TO PROVIDE FOR LOCAL BOARDS OF TRUSTEES FOR THE
37 ADMINISTRATION OF EACH UNIVERSITY IN THE STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
38 AND TO PRESCRIBE THE GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE LOCAL BOARDS
39 OF TRUSTEES; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES."

