

By: Senator(s) Horhn, Butler, Turner-Ford,
Blackmon, Simmons (13th), Simmons (12th),
Norwood, Frazier, Jackson (11th),
Witherspoon, Jordan, Jackson (32nd), Dearing

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 594

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MINACT, INC., FOR 40
2 YEARS OF ACHIEVEMENT AND AWARD-WINNING QUALITY TRAINING AND
3 SUPPORT SERVICES TO THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

4 WHEREAS, MINACT, INC., was incorporated under the laws of the
5 State of Mississippi in February 1978. From inception, MINACT,
6 INC., has concentrated on providing management and educational
7 services consistent with its chartered purpose to "perform all
8 manners and kinds of contracts, agreements and obligations for the
9 provision of programs and projects of education, training,
10 counseling, research and other services;" and

11 WHEREAS, during its 40-year history, MINACT, INC., has
12 focused its efforts and resources on the training and development
13 of youth in the Job Corps Program and providing quality support
14 services to employers such as Nissan North America in Canton,
15 Mississippi. The evolution of the company as a prominent Job
16 Corps Contractor and Support Services Provider is the natural
17 result of the direction of MINACT, INC.'s Founder and President,
18 Booker T. Jones. Mr. Jones has worked in Job Corps from its



19 inception, and has a deep appreciation for the needs and desires
20 of the Job Corps clientele and for providing quality support
21 services to employers. As a result, in May 2007 Mr. Jones was
22 inducted into the Mississippi Business Hall of Fame; and

23 WHEREAS, MINACT, INC., has grown into a vigorous and viable
24 business, currently employing approximately 1,485 individuals in
25 the State of Mississippi and in the other states in which it has
26 qualified to do and is doing business: Michigan, Missouri, North
27 Dakota, Louisiana, Wisconsin, Iowa and Tennessee; also having
28 conducted business in Maryland, Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina,
29 Indiana, Vermont, Texas, Kentucky, Arizona and Minnesota; and

30 WHEREAS, MINACT, INC.'s emergence as a force in government
31 procurements and the Jackson, Mississippi, community was confirmed
32 by the following awards: United States Department of Labor's
33 "Outstanding Minority Contractor of the Year, 1989"; Metro Jackson
34 Chamber of Commerce's "Outstanding Business" awardee, 1991;
35 National Job Corps Coalition, "Member of the Year"; 1997; Jackson
36 Public Schools' "Golden Achievement Award" for outstanding
37 partnership with Green Elementary School, 2002; Adopt-a-School
38 Program; and Respect Our Black Dollar's "Sankofa Employer of the
39 Year" Award, 2017:

40 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
41 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
42 we do hereby recognize MINACT, INC., for 40 years of achievement



43 and award-winning quality training and support services to the
44 State of Mississippi.

45 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
46 the Chief Executive Officer of MINACT, INC., forwarded to the
47 Mississippi Development Authority, and made available to the
48 Capitol Press Corps.

