MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE

By: The Entire Membership

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 120

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MS. LYNIECE FLEMING UPON THE OCCASION 2 OF HER RETIREMENT AS A COMMITTEE ASSISTANT FOR THE MISSISSIPPI 3 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. 4 WHEREAS, after 33 years of providing dedicated and zealous service to the Mississippi House of Representatives, Ms. Lyniece 5 Fleming will retire from public service as committee assistant on 6 7 June 30, 2022; and WHEREAS, in the fall of 1989, while attending Moore Career 8 9 College, Ms. Fleming was hired as a session-only receptionist in the Legislative Services Office for the House of Representatives, 10 11 and after her first session ended in 1990, she was asked to stay on part-time and was later offered a permanent position as a legal 12 13 secretary in 1992; and 14 WHEREAS, in 1995, Ms. Fleming served as a secretary in the 15 first floor legislative steno pool/legislator offices for several

17 in the fourth floor office steno pool for chairman legislators;

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House members, and she was later selected to serve as a secretary

19 WHEREAS, a stellar employee, in 2010, Ms. Fleming's 20 exceptional performance afforded her the opportunity to be meritoriously promoted to committee assistant, and during her 21 22 outstanding tenure, she has served as committee assistant for 23 several committees, such as: Accountability, Transparency and 24 Efficiency, Drug Policy, Enrolled Bills, Executive Contingent Fund, Interstate Corporation, Investigate State Office and 25 26 Military Affairs; and her consistency in performance has never 27 waivered from the date of her initial hire until her decision to 28 conclude her prestigious legislative career; and

29 WHEREAS, Ms. Fleming has served under five Governors, three Speakers of the House, and four Clerks of the House, and has 30 31 witnessed the evolution of state history unfold in the shape of policy formulated by legislators, future Governors, other 32 statewide elected officials, congressmen and those who have 33 34 transitioned from legislative careers to municipal leadership, 35 state and federal judiciary membership, as well as statewide offices from Auditor to Governor, as well as national 36 37 ambassadorships and officeholders; and

38 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to 39 acknowledge outstanding Mississippians, especially those such as 40 Ms. Fleming, one we are proud to call our own, whose daily 41 presence in the halls of the Capitol will be sorely missed, but 42 whose legacy of selflessness, fairness, hard work, professionalism 43 and overall commitment to improving the individual lives of others

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44 and her community and state, has made an indelible mark on the 45 Mississippi Legislature and all those who have been privileged to 46 know and work with her:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend the esteemed career and public service of Ms. Lyniece Fleming, congratulate her upon the occasion of her retirement, and extend warmest wishes for continued success in all of her future endeavors.

53 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be 54 furnished to Ms. Lyniece Fleming and to the members of the Capitol 55 Press Corps.