

By: Representatives Grady, Barton, Bennett, Burch, Estrada, Eure, Felsher, Fondren, Hall, Haney, Hulum, Ladner, Read, Zuber To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING SWETMAN
2 SECURITY SERVICE UPON THE OCCASION OF ITS 50TH ANNIVERSARY.

3 WHEREAS, Swetman Security Service, of Biloxi, Mississippi, a
4 family-owned and operated business, is celebrating its 50th
5 anniversary this year; and

6 WHEREAS, in 1974, W.S. "Windy" Swetman, Jr., and the former
7 Cynthia Payne, had the idea of providing security services to a
8 handful of small businesses in Biloxi; and

9 WHEREAS, in 1984, the firm incorporated and began building a
10 reputation for providing client-oriented security solutions to a
11 growing number of small businesses and large corporations, state
12 and local government agencies, banks and credit unions, ports and
13 harbors, and in schools and courthouses across the Gulf Coast; and

14 WHEREAS, W.S. "Windy" Swetman, III, son of the company
15 founders, has grown the company's footprint to cover a three-state
16 area, with the advent of crowd and special event management at
17 arenas and college stadiums throughout the region; and



18 WHEREAS, currently, upon its 50th anniversary, Swetman
19 Security has more than 550 full-time team members, a payroll that
20 grows to 1,200 a year with part-time employees; and

21 WHEREAS, the cornerstones of the Swetman success are a team
22 of professionals dedicated to meeting the client's safety and
23 security needs; and

24 WHEREAS, with its success and an inherent corporate
25 responsibility, the Swetman family has championed a motto of
26 "doing the most good," supporting a number of regional outreach
27 programs and service organizations that help those in need; and

28 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
29 outstanding Mississippi companies, especially those such as
30 Swetman Security Service, whose hard work and dedication to
31 excellence brings honor to the State of Mississippi:

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
33 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
34 THEREIN, That we do hereby recognize and commend Swetman Security
35 Service upon the occasion of its 50th anniversary, and extend best
36 wishes for continued success in all its future endeavors.

37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
38 furnished to Swetman Security Service and to the members of the
39 Capitol Press Corps.

