

By: The Entire Membership

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING COLONEL RANDY C. GINN UPON THE
2 OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT AS COLONEL/DIRECTOR OF THE MISSISSIPPI
3 HIGHWAY PATROL AND ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF THE MISSISSIPPI
4 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

5 WHEREAS, after many years of outstanding service and
6 dedication to the State of Mississippi, Colonel Randy C. Ginn is
7 retiring from his position as Colonel/Director of the Mississippi
8 Highway Patrol and Assistant Commissioner of the Mississippi
9 Department of Public Safety on January 31, 2024; and

10 WHEREAS, as a graduate of Cadet Class 45 on December 18,
11 1987, Colonel Ginn, prior to serving as Colonel/Director of the
12 Mississippi Highway Patrol and Assistant Commissioner of the
13 Mississippi Department of Public Safety, served in various
14 positions such as Lieutenant Colonel/Deputy Director of the
15 Mississippi Highway Patrol; Special Agent and Supervisory Special
16 Agent for the Mississippi Bureau of Investigation; Executive
17 Officer, Troop G; Captain, Troop G; Major, Central Region
18 Enforcement; and Director of Ecite; and



19 WHEREAS, since July 1, 2020, Colonel Ginn has served as
20 Colonel/Director of the Mississippi Highway Patrol and Assistant
21 Commissioner of the Mississippi Department of Public Safety, where
22 he oversees the Mississippi Highway Patrol, the Mississippi Bureau
23 of Investigation, the Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers'
24 Training Academy, and Administrative Operations for the
25 Mississippi Highway Patrol; and

26 WHEREAS, in addition, Colonel Ginn is a graduate of the
27 University of Mississippi, where he earned a bachelor's degree in
28 public administration, and he is also a graduate of the 43rd
29 Session of the FBI Academy National Executive Institute, and the
30 234th Session of the FBI National Academy; and

31 WHEREAS, Colonel Ginn was recognized as Troop G Trooper of
32 the Year in 1990, and Mississippi Bureau of Investigation Trooper
33 of the Year in 2001, and throughout his career in law enforcement
34 and public safety, he has faced dangerous situations each day that
35 demanded he put his life on the line, and each time the call came,
36 he fearlessly and bravely rushed into perilous predicaments and
37 responded to a variety of emergency events; and

38 WHEREAS, outside of his distinguished career, Colonel Ginn is
39 married to his wife, Mrs. Rhonda Ginn, and they have two children,
40 Andrew Ginn and Jordan McCoy, and three grandchildren, Shepherd,
41 Greta and Laney; and

42 WHEREAS, Colonel Ginn has been an exceptional and



43 meritorious leader, and his indomitable grit, dexterous abilities
44 and passionate determination will be dearly missed by all of his
45 colleagues and others who were fortunate to have the opportunity
46 to work with him and experience his greatness; and

47 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
48 pay tribute to great, heroic Mississippians such as Colonel Ginn,
49 whose extraordinary leadership, dauntless fortitude and unwavering
50 duty to protect and serve will always be remembered:

51 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
52 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
53 commend Colonel Randy C. Ginn for his distinguished career,
54 meritorious leadership and outstanding service upon the occasion
55 of his retirement, and extend sincere wishes for his continued
56 success in the lighter days ahead.

57 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
58 furnished to Colonel Randy C. Ginn and to the members of the
59 Capitol Press Corps.

