

By: Senator(s) DeBar, Barnett, England,
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Whaley

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 505

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE DEEP AND HEARTFELT
2 SYMPATHY OF THE MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE TO THE FAMILY OF GEORGE
3 COUNTY DEPUTY SHERIFF JEREMY TODD MALONE WHO WAS LOST IN THE LINE
4 OF DUTY ON JANUARY 4, 2024.

5 WHEREAS, we mourn the passing of George County Deputy Sheriff
6 Jeremy Todd Malone who was tragically lost in the line of duty
7 during a traffic stop on January 4, 2024; and

8 WHEREAS, by order of Governor Tate Reeves, flags across the
9 State of Mississippi were flown at half-staff on January 12, 2024,
10 as the state honored the sacrifice of Deputy Malone; and

11 WHEREAS, Jeremy Malone was born February 13, 1979. He grew
12 up in Perry County and graduated from Perry County High School in
13 1998. His friends called him "Malone"; and

14 WHEREAS, exhibiting an early interest in law enforcement, he
15 attended and then graduated from the Mississippi Law Enforcement
16 Officers Training Academy (MLEOTA) in Harrison County in 2002; and

17 WHEREAS, since that time, he worked with the Leakesville
18 Police Department, the Greene County Sheriff's Department, the
19 Jackson County Sheriff's Department, and the Biloxi Police



20 Department, volunteering for numerous special duties such as
21 Cruising the Coast, Black Spring Break, Santa Wears a Badge and
22 the Blue Line Toy Drive. He had a 21-year dedicated law
23 enforcement career; and

24 WHEREAS, Jeremy was also employed full-time as Facility
25 Security Officer and Security Manager at Bollinger Shipyards
26 (formerly Halter Marine). He joined the firm in 2014, where he
27 was well liked and known for his wit and candor, according to
28 fellow employees. "Jeremy was an employee, but also a friend,"
29 said Chris Remont, Executive Vice President and General Manager of
30 Bollinger Mississippi Shipbuilding in Pascagoula. "Just know that
31 Jeremy was a very capable and dedicated shipbuilder and terrific
32 person. He will be missed"; and

33 WHEREAS, his greatest joy was time with family, his loving
34 wife and precious daughters. He was devoted to his loved ones,
35 the communities he served and his fellow Brothers in Blue. He
36 touched many lives and will be greatly missed; and

37 WHEREAS, he is preceded in death by his uncle, Shelby Byrd.
38 Those left to cherish his memory include his loving wife, Hilary
39 Malone; daughters, Abbie Malone, Alivia Malone and Brooklyn
40 Malone; mother, Sherrye Eubanks; brothers, Jason (Adele) Malone
41 and Scottie (Brittany) Anders; loving aunt, Voncile Byrd;
42 mother-in-law, Connie Coulter; sister-in-law, Heather (Tony)
43 Ferguson; Brothers in Blue throughout multiple agencies in South



44 Mississippi; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and
45 friends; and

46 WHEREAS, we can never repay our debt to law enforcement
47 officers and their families; however, we must do what we can, with
48 all that we have, to live our lives in a way that pays tribute to
49 their memory. We should not pause and remember to thank law
50 enforcement officers only in the wake of tragedy. We should do it
51 every day. In mourning the loss of Deputy Sheriff Jeremy Malone,
52 we recognize that his passing will never diminish the profound
53 impact he has made in the lives of his family, his colleagues, his
54 community and to the State of Mississippi:

55 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
56 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
57 we do hereby extend the deep and heartfelt sympathy of the
58 Legislature to the family of George County Deputy Sheriff Jeremy
59 Todd Malone who was lost in the line of duty on January 4, 2024.

60 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
61 the family of Deputy Sheriff Jeremy Malone, forwarded to the
62 George County Sheriff and Board of Supervisors and be made
63 available to the Capitol Press Corps.

