To: Rules

By: Senator(s) Kirby, Barnett

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 74

1 A RESOLUTION TO COMMEMORATE THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE STATE 2 GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COUNCIL (SGAC) AND COMMEND ITS MISSION.

WHEREAS, the State Government Affairs Council (SGAC) was 3

4 established 50 years ago with the mission to advance and support

5 the state government affairs profession by fostering community and

6 relationship building with peers and elected officials, building

7 knowledge, and promoting diverse perspectives in a nonpartisan

8 environment; and

9 WHEREAS, SGAC's members, consisting of government affairs

professionals, have consistently worked to enhance understanding 10

11 and communication between the public and private sectors, ensuring

12 the fair representation of diverse interests and advocating for

13 the advancement of policies that promote offering unparalleled

educational opportunities; providing a forum for members and 14

policymakers to convene and collaborate; mentoring the next 15

16 generation of state government affairs professionals; promoting

17 all aspects of diversity; and

- 18 WHEREAS, through its collaboration with legislative bodies,
- 19 administrative agencies, and community stakeholders, SGAC has
- 20 helped build a more responsive, transparent, and accountable
- 21 government at the state level; and
- Whereas, the 50th Anniversary of SGAC represents a milestone
- 23 of achievement and service in its ongoing commitment to excellence
- 24 in government affairs; and
- 25 WHEREAS, SGAC has fostered a forward-thinking platform for
- 26 addressing emerging challenges in state governance; and
- 27 WHEREAS, SGAC has created a legacy of fostering leadership,
- 28 training, and advocacy that has shaped the professional
- 29 development of thousands of individuals in the field of government
- 30 relations:
- 31 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
- 32 MISSISSIPPI, That:
- The Mississippi Senate recognizes and commends the State
- 34 Government Affairs Council for its 50 years of dedicated service
- 35 and significant contributions to enhancing the relationship
- 36 between state and local governments, businesses, and communities.
- The Mississippi Senate encourages continued support for
- 38 SGAC's mission and commends its members for their tireless work to
- 39 advocate for sound policy decisions, transparency, and good

- 40 governance.
- The Mississippi Senate extends its congratulations to the
- 42 State Government Affairs Council and its members on reaching this

- 43 remarkable milestone and acknowledges their enduring influence on
- 44 the state's government affairs landscape.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution shall be sent to
- 46 the State Government Affairs Council in recognition of their 50th
- 47 Anniversary and continued commitment to advancing public policy
- 48 across the state, and be made available to the Capitol Press
- 49 Corps.