

By: Representatives Wells-Smith, Broomfield, To: Rules  
Endt, Guice, Hamilton, Maples, Read

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 153  
(As Adopted by House and Senate)

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON  
2 ATTAINING LEVEL 5 ACCREDITATION FOR THE 1998-1999 SCHOOL YEAR.

3 WHEREAS, Lake Elementary School traditionally has  
4 demonstrated the highest qualities of academic excellence; and

5 WHEREAS, Lake Elementary School has a student population of  
6 over 150 outstanding students in Kindergarten through Grade 5; and

7 WHEREAS, the faculty, administration and staff at Lake  
8 Elementary School consistently challenge their students to achieve  
9 the very best in academics; and

10 WHEREAS, during the 1998-1999 school year, Lake Elementary  
11 School attained a student performance index rating of 5.0, thereby  
12 receiving an accreditation level of 5.0, the highest accreditation  
13 rating a school can receive; and

14 WHEREAS, under the dedicated leadership and administration of  
15 Principal Lois Knight, the Lake Elementary School faculty and  
16 staff, Superintendent Dr. David Snowden and the Pascagoula  
17 Municipal Separate School District School Board, chaired by Mr.  
18 M.R. Cole, the school has achieved high academic performance while  
19 keeping the tax burden low on the citizens of the city; and

20 WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Mississippi believes  
21 that it is most appropriate to pay special recognition to the  
22 students, teachers, administrators, staff, Pascagoula School Board  
23 members and parents of the Lake Elementary School students, who  
24 epitomize a commitment to educational excellence for the public  
25 schools of their city and state:

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF

27 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING  
28 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend Lake Elementary School on  
29 attaining Level 5 accreditation for the 1998-1999 school year.  
30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
31 furnished to Lake Elementary School and the Capitol Press Corps.