

By: Representatives Jennings, Jennings,
Mayo, McBride, Robertson, Woods

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 64

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE SOUTHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL
2 CHARGERS BASEBALL TEAM FOR WINNING THE CLASS 5A STATE
3 CHAMPIONSHIP.

4 WHEREAS, the Southaven High School Chargers Baseball Team
5 finished the season with an outstanding record of 27 wins and only
6 7 losses; and

7 WHEREAS, the Chargers Baseball Team won the 2000 Desoto Time
8 Invitational Tournament and the 2000 Class 5A State Championship,
9 which they also won in 1999; and

10 WHEREAS, many individual honors have been bestowed among the
11 players, including the naming of Todd Hill, Justin Donovan, Bobby
12 Mueller, Matt Smith, Chase McNatt, John Moran, Gary Scott Gabbert,
13 Brae Wright and Tyler Lee to the All-Conference Tournament Team;
14 Todd Hill and Justin Donovan were members of the Crossroads
15 Diamond Club Mississippi High School All-Star Game; and

16 WHEREAS, the Chargers have been superbly coached and inspired
17 by Head Coach Ed Rich and Assistant Coaches Shane Falkner and
18 Lucian King, who have broadened the players knowledge of the game
19 and refined their skills in execution; and

20 WHEREAS, Head Coach Ed Rich has brought additional honor to
21 Southaven High School by being selected the 1999 Mississippi High
22 School Coach of the Year and the 1999 and 2000 Chickasaw
23 Conference Coach of the Year; and

24 WHEREAS, the Chargers developed a winning and cooperative
25 spirit and a high degree of sportsmanship, and their activities
26 and attitude reflect great credit upon the individual players and
27 their coaches and bring honor to Southaven High School; and

28 WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize
29 and commend excellence, especially when evidenced by the young
30 people of our state, who are its future:

31 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
32 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING
33 THEREIN, That we commend and congratulate the Southaven High
34 School Chargers Baseball Team and Head Coach Ed Rich and Assistant
35 Coaches Shane Falkner and Lucian King for their outstanding
36 season, for winning the Class 5A State Championship and for
37 displaying tireless devotion to their athletic endeavors.

38 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
39 furnished to Southaven High School, Head Coach Ed Rich, Assistant
40 Coaches Shane Falkner and Lucian King and members of the Capitol
41 Press Corps.