

By: Representatives Reynolds, Barbour,
Masterson, Flaggs

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 44

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL SCHOOL FOR MANY
2 YEARS OF PROVIDING OUTSTANDING EDUCATION.

3 WHEREAS, All Saints' Episcopal School is a small,
4 independent, coeducational, college preparatory school for
5 boarding students in Grades 8 through 12 and day students in
6 Grades 7 through 12; and

7 WHEREAS, All Saints' welcomes young people from a wide
8 variety of ethnic, racial, religious, economic, social and
9 geographic backgrounds; and

10 WHEREAS, the school was first envisioned by the Right
11 Reverend William Mercer Green, the first Episcopal Bishop of
12 Mississippi, who in 1860 determined the need for a diocesan school
13 for girls; and

14 WHEREAS, in 1908, Bishop Theodore Dubose Bratton,
15 Mississippi's third Episcopal Bishop, established All Saints'
16 Episcopal College as an all girls college, and in 1971, All
17 Saints' became a coeducational boarding and day institution for
18 secondary school students; and

19 WHEREAS, throughout the many years of providing education,
20 All Saints' has been dedicated to nurturing the intellectual,
21 physical, spiritual and social growth of its students in a
22 lovingly structured environment; and

23 WHEREAS, located in the historic City of Vicksburg, All
24 Saints' is situated on forty acres of landscaped hills with campus
25 buildings that curve in an arc around a dell in which the Olympic
26 size swimming pool and recreation center are located; and



27 WHEREAS, All Saints' Episcopal School is owned by the
28 Episcopal Dioceses of Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana and Western
29 Louisiana; and

30 WHEREAS, representatives from those dioceses, including their
31 bishops, along with All Saints' Rector and Head, comprise the
32 twenty-member board of trustees; and

33 WHEREAS, All Saints' Episcopal School is accredited by the
34 Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and holds memberships
35 in the Southern Association of Independent Schools, the National
36 Association of Independent Schools, the National Association of
37 Episcopal Schools, the Southern Association of Boarding Schools,
38 the National Association of Boarding Schools and the College
39 Board; and

40 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
41 recognize and commend excellence especially when evidenced by
42 outstanding schools such as All Saints' Episcopal School, which
43 has committed itself to providing outstanding educations to many
44 young people:

45 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
46 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do commend
47 All Saints' Episcopal School for many years of providing
48 outstanding educations and express our warmest wishes for
49 continued success in all their future endeavors.

50 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
51 furnished to All Saints' Episcopal School and to the members of
52 the Capitol Press Corps.

