

By: Representatives Bentz, Dedeaux,
Fredericks, Guice, Ishee, Janus, Patterson,
Peranich, Simpson, Upshaw, Compretta

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING FREIDA KALETSCHE FOR HER MANY YEARS OF
2 DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE HARRISON COUNTY YOUTH COURT SYSTEM AND
3 CONGRATULATING HER UPON RETIREMENT.

4 WHEREAS, Freida Kaletsch retired as Administrator of the
5 Harrison County Youth Court System on January 31, 2005, after more
6 than 36 years of committed and diligent service to the state and
7 its citizens; and

8 WHEREAS, commencing her employment with the court in 1968,
9 when she moved to Long Beach as a new bride with a bachelor's
10 degree in psychology, Mrs. Kaletsch first worked as a counselor
11 for delinquent, neglected and abused children, working in all
12 areas of youth court operations over the course of her career
13 before being promoted to the administrator's position in 2000; and

14 WHEREAS, during her illustrious career with the Youth Court,
15 Mrs. Kaletsch has gone above and beyond the call of duty, arriving
16 early and staying late to ensure an efficient flow of work
17 performance and management of 40 employees; and

18 WHEREAS, passionate about the health, safety and future of
19 the county's youth, Mrs. Kaletsch, along with several colleagues,
20 founded Professionals Advocating for Children Together (PACT)
21 after witnessing the staff diminish at the county's Department of
22 Human Services; and

23 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives of
24 the State of Mississippi to recognize and commend excellence of
25 such outstanding individuals as Freida Kaletsch, whose services to
26 the citizens of Harrison County were monumental:

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
28 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
29 commend and congratulate Freida Kaletsch upon her retirement after
30 36 years of dedicated and exemplary service to the Harrison County
31 Youth Court, and we extend to her our heartiest wishes for success
32 in all her future endeavors.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
34 furnished to Freida Kaletsch and to the members of the Capitol
35 Press Corps.