

By: Representative Davis

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 133

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MR. CHARLES "WICK" MOORMAN FOR HIS
2 MANY PROFESSIONAL CAREER ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Charles "Wick" Moorman leads Norfolk Southern
4 Corporation as Chairman, President, Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
5 and Chairman of the Board of Directors; and

6 WHEREAS, this astute businessman is a native of Hattiesburg,
7 Mississippi, and a graduate of Georgia Tech and Harvard Business
8 School; and

9 WHEREAS, he joined the railroad in 1970 and has held senior
10 positions in the corporation's transportation, personnel, labor
11 relations, information technology, strategic planning, corporate
12 planning and services area; and

13 WHEREAS, he took over Norfolk Southern's Thoroughbred
14 Technology and Telecommunications subsidiary in 1999, became
15 President and CEO in 2005 and was appointed to his current post in
16 2006; and

17 WHEREAS, in addition to his business accomplishments, he
18 still finds time to participate in community organizations in
19 various capacities, such as Chairman of Norfolk's United Way
20 Campaign, Regional Chairman of the United Way Campaign of South
21 Hampton Roads, Chairman of the WHRO Foundation, Association of
22 American Railroads, Board of Directors for the Center for Energy
23 and Economic Development, Board of Trustees for the John W.
24 Barriger III, National Railroad Library, the Chrysler Museum of
25 Art, the Virginia Foundation for Independent Colleges and the
26 Nature Conservancy; and

27 WHEREAS, he has been supported in his many endeavors by his
28 wife, Bonnie, and two children; and

29 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
30 recognize and commend native Mississippians who make great strides
31 in business endeavors and bring honor to our state:

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
33 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
34 commend Mr. Charles "Wick" Moorman for his many professional
35 career accomplishments.

36 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
37 furnished to Mr. Charles "Wick" Moorman and to the members of the
38 Capitol Press Corps.