

June 28, 2001

The Honorable John T. Kitchens
Circuit Judge
146 Planters Grove
Brandon, Mississippi 39047

Dear Judge Kitchens:

As Governor of the State of Mississippi, I am honored to extend my best wishes and congratulations upon the celebration of your retirement after 25 years of dedicated service to the State of Mississippi.

Under the many years of your most capable leadership, the citizens of Mississippi have seen justice and experienced remarkable progress and success in their communities.

As you conclude your career as a dedicated employee of the great State of Mississippi, be assured that your efforts will forever serve as an inspiration for those who follow in your footsteps, to continue to build bright futures for the people of our great state.

Very truly yours,

RONNIE MUSGROVE

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