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Mississippi First in the Nation with Computers in the Classroom

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(Jackson, MS) – The National Governors Association has confirmed that Mississippi will be the first state in the nation to have an Internet-accessible computer in every public school classroom, saying that Mississippi is "at the head of the wave of technological innovation."

"The breakdown is simple," Musgrove said. "Cost to the taxpayers is \$6 million. Net worth of the computer hardware and training is \$40 million. Most importantly, the value to our children by being the first in the nation is priceless."

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